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O'FARRELL—Tenth Anniversary — In loving memory of William Wilfred (Willie), late Pay Sergeant R.F.A., and Irish Command, Dublin Castle, died October 26, 1917. Inserted by his loving mother.

BIRTH.

BURRELL—October 19, 1927, at 30 Melville street, Ryde, I.W., the wife of Arthur A. Burrell, M.B., of a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

BURRISS and ROBERTS—October 4, 1927, at St. Peter's, Athlone, by the Right Rev. the Bishop of Limerick (cousin of the bride), assisted by the Rev. W. C. de Pauley, D.D., Rector of the Parish, the Rev. Arthur Reginald Burriss, B.A., T.C.D., eldest son of the late Arthur Burriss, Mountain View, Clonjordan, to Harriet Isabella Marris, elder daughter of John Marris Roberts, A.M.I.C.E., Engineer's House, Athlone.

COOKE and WAKEHAM—October 20, 1927, at St. Mark's Church, Remuera, Auckland, New Zealand, William Leyingstone, eldest son of the late W. L. Cooke, of Cork, to Margaret Edith (Meta), elder daughter of William and Mary Josephine Wakeham, Water Rock, Midleton. (By cable.)

GUN CUNINGHAME and O'CALLAGHAN—October 19, 1927, at Christ Church, Delgany, by the Rev. Canon Weir, M.A., assisted by the Rev. J. Wylie M.A., Robert George Arthur, elder son of Major C. H. D. Gun Cuninghame, D.L., Mount Kennedy, County Wicklow, to Emily Frances Grace, elder daughter of the late C. R. O'Callaghan and Mrs. O'Callaghan, Goodbrook, Delgany.

HANLEY and O'CONNOR—September 26, 1927, at Star of the Sea, Sandymount, by the Rev. Father McSweeny, James, only son of Mrs. and the late Stephen Hanley, 33la Pulleborough road, to Bessie, only daughter of Patrick and Mrs. O'Connor, St. Brendan's, Sandymount avenue.

HOURIGAN and LITTLE—October 12, 1927, Francis John Hourigan, youngest son of Mrs. Hourigan, Mullingar, to Marion Elizabeth, second daughter of the late George Little and Mrs. Little, Carrick Lodge, Mullingar.

LANE and DOYLE—October 19, 1927, at Harold's Cross Church, by the Rev. C. Coote W. Duggan, B.D., Stuart Nassau, youngest son of the late Thomas J. Lane, Charleville terrace, North Circular road, and Mrs. Lane, Tunbridge Wells, to Jeannie Winifred (Winnie), younger daughter of the late John Doyle and Mrs. Doyle, Inver, Leinster road, West, Rathmines, Dublin.

MACINERNEY and WADDING—October 19, 1927, at the Church of the Visitation, Fairview, by the Rev. T. Grogan, C.C., Paul P., eldest son of the late T. J. Macinerney, of County Clare, and Mrs Macinerney, 60 Brighton road, Rathgar, to Margaret (Meg), eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Wadding, 13 Addison road, Dublin.

MILLS and TURNBULL—October 5, 1927, at St. Mary's Church, Crumlin, by the Rev. E. G. Sullivan, M.A., Charles, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs Edward C. F. Mills, Dublin, to Alicia Rose, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Turnbull, Crumlin, County Dublin.

SHERWIN and FARRELLY—October 3, 1927, at the Church of the Holy Redeemer, Bray, by the Very Rev. James Sherwin, P.P., Ballybrack, assisted by the Rev. John McGrath, C.C., Bray, John Persse (Jack), eldest son of Joseph and Marie Sherwin, Bray, to Bridget (Bridie), youngest daughter of the late Francis and Bridget Farrelly, Castle House, Bray. American and Australian papers please copy.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this column will be found on Page 6.

BLAKENEY—October 22, 1927, Richard Henry Blakeney, of 25 Union road, Exeter, dearly-loved husband of Henrietta Mary Blakeney, and youngest son of the late Edward Blakeney, of Holywell, Roscommon, aged 76.

CASHMAN—October 21, 1927, at a Private Nursing Home, Margaret, beloved wife of Michael Cashman, Coolgardie, Conyngham road. Funeral from St. Michael's, Limerick, to-day (Wednesday), 26th.

CHAPMAN—October 24, 1927, at his residence, Dunderan, David Chapman. Funeral this (Wednesday) morning, leaving at 11 o'clock, arriving at Tempo at 2 o'clock.

DONNELLY—October 22, 1927, at her residence, 19 Emmet square, Anne Donnelly. Deeply regretted by her loving niece. R.I.P. Australian papers please copy.

FLANAGAN—October 24, 1927, suddenly, at her residence, 21 Palmerston road, Lizzie, dearly-loved wife of John Flanagan. Deeply regretted by her sorrowing husband and family. R.I.P. Funeral strictly private. No flowers, by request.

MURPHY—October 8, 1927, at Yakima (Wash., U.S.A.), John, beloved husband of Frances A. Murphy, and eldest son of the late John Murphy and Mrs. Murphy, 8 High street, Bargenalstown.

O'DONNELL—On Saturday, October 22, 1927, at Carlingford, His Eminence Patrick Cardinal O'Donnell, Archbishop of Armagh and Primate of All Ireland. R.I.P. Remains were removed by motor hearse from Carlingford on Monday to St. Patrick's Cathedral, Armagh, where he now lies in State. Solemn Office and Requiem Mass in St. Patrick's Cathedral, Armagh, at 11 o'clock on Friday morning, 28th inst., after which the interment will take place.

SMITH—October 7, 1927, at his residence, Chantler, Ont., Samuel George, youngest son of the late John William Smith, Kilmurry, Ballyconnon, Offaly, and Mrs. Smith, Charleville Parade, Tullamore. "At rest."

SWEENY—October 25, 1927, at Adelaide Hospital, Harry, the dearly-loved husband of Sara A. Sweeny, 97a Rathgar road. Funeral from hospital to-morrow (Thursday) morning at 9.30 to Mount Jerome.

WILKINSON—October 25, 1927, suddenly, at Clogheen, Blouth, Mary E. Wilkinson, relict of the late W. G. Wilkinson. Interment notice later.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

Mr. J. C. Dineen, Ardenza, Seapoint, returns his very sincere thanks for the numerous kind messages of sympathy in his recent bereavement.

The family of the late Mrs. M. A. Leech, Trinity street, Drogheda, wish to return sincere thanks to all who sent telegrams and messages of sympathy in their recent bereavement, and hope this will be accepted by all, as it would be impossible to reply individually.

IN MEMORIAM.

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TYNDALL—In sad and loving memory of Mrs. Teresa Tyndall, 5 Royse road, Phibsborough, who died 26th October, 1926. R.I.P.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUESTS.
In the Goods of
ELIZABETH ANNE PEACOCKE, late of 72 Frankfort avenue, Rathgar, in the County of Dublin, Spinster, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given pursuant to the Statute 30 and 31 Vic., Cap. 54, that the above-named Elizabeth Anne Peacocke, by her Will dated 4th July, 1921, bequeathed her property, subject as therein mentioned, to the Methodist Foreign Missions.
Dated this 22nd day of October, 1927.
A. D. KENNEDY and FIGGIS, Solicitors for the Executrix, 65 Dawson street, Dublin.
To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests, and to all other persons concerned.

SAORSTAT EIREANN.
HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE.
IN THE PRINCIPAL REGISTRY (PROBATE).
In the Estate of
JOHN PIDGEON, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given that after the expiration of eight days application will be made in the Principal Probate Registry of the High Court of Justice, Saorstat Eireann, for the sealing of the Probate of the Will of John Pidgeon, late of Strathea street, Mount Lawley, in the State of Western Australia, Commonwealth of Australia, Engineer, Deceased, granted by the Supreme Court of Western Australia on the 7th day of February, 1925.
Dated this 26th day of October, 1927.
MALCOLMSON and LAW, Solicitors for the Executor, 60 Dawson street, Dublin.

In the Matter of
THE COMPANIES WINDING UP
And in the Matter of
THE COMPANIES ACTS, 1908-1917.
And in the Matter of
THE IRISH KINEMATOGRAPH COMPANY (1920), LIMITED.
JOHN CANNING LOUGHRIDGE, Petitioner, And
THE IRISH KINEMATOGRAPH COMPANY (1920), LIMITED, Respondents.
Notice is hereby given that a Petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the High Court of Justice in Saorstat Eireann was, on the 19th day of October, 1927, presented to the said Court by John Canning Loughridge, F.S.A.A., Incorporated Accountant, Auditor, of Frankfort, Clonskeagh, in the County of Dublin, a Creditor of the said Company. And that the said Petition is directed to be heard before the Court sitting at the Law Courts, Dublin Castle, on the 7th day of November, 1927, and any Creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to support or oppose the making of an order on the said Petition may appear at the time of hearing by himself or his Counsel for that purpose; and a copy of the Petition will be furnished to any Creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same by the undersigned on payment of the regulated charge for the same.
Dated this 24th day of October, 1927.
VALENTINE E. KIRWAN, Solicitor for the Petitioner, 22 St. Andrew street, Dublin.
Note.—Any person who intends to appear on the hearing of the said Petition must serve on, or send by post to, the above-named Valentine E. Kirwan, Solicitor, notice of his intention so to do. This notice must state the name and address of the person or if a firm the name and address of the firm, and must be signed by the person or firm, or his or their solicitor (if any) and must be served, or if posted must be sent by post in sufficient time to reach the above-named not later than five o'clock in the afternoon of the 4th day of November, 1927.

NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUESTS.
In the Goods of
LYDIA CARROLL, late of Lisglennon, Kilfala, in the County of Mayo, Spinster, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 32 and 33 Vic., cap. 54, that the said Lydia Carroll, by her Will dated the 7th day of May, 1926, bequeathed the following charitable legacy:—
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Dated this 22nd day of October, 1927.
(Signed) GARVEY and HUGGARD, Solicitors for said Executor, 12 Upper Ormond quay, Dublin, and Ballina, Co. Mayo.
To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests, and all whom it may concern.

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NORTH'S PLAN TO ABOLISH PROPORTIONAL REPRESENTATION.

LORD CRAIGAVON SAYS IT WILL BE FOR THE BENEFIT OF MINORITIES.

MR. DEVLIN THREATENS TO RESIGN IF THE ELECTORAL SYSTEM IS CHANGED.

The proposed abolition of proportional representation by the Northern Government was debated in the Northern House of Commons yesterday on a notice of motion by Mr. Samuel Kyle, that before any steps were taken by the Government a Select Committee of the House should consider whether the Government had power to alter the system of voting.

Mr. Samuel Kyle (Labour) moved that it was the opinion of the House that before the principle of proportional representation, embodied in the Government of Ireland Act, 1920, was abolished a Select Committee of the House be set up to consider and determine whether the Government had legal authority to set aside the provisions of the said Act, and if so to define the boundaries of the new constituencies.

Mr. Kyle said that it seemed to him that if the changes suggested by their Prime Minister took place there was no reason why the 1920 Act might not go altogether. He believed that the whole idea of abolishing proportional representation was to get rid of the Independents, who, the Prime Minister said, were no use to him. It was his opinion, and the opinion of others not of his way of thinking, that the Government were pretending to bring in a bill for the redistribution of seats merely to set aside the Opposition which existed in that House. If the Government abrogated proportional representation and made it more difficult for minority opinion to be represented in that House, they would do something which they or no other party could intelligently defend. The system was deliberately introduced in the 1920 Act to safeguard the rights of minorities, because in all countries where there was a religious question, such as in Northern Ireland, proportional representation was the only way by which minorities could be represented in Parliament.

Proceeding, Mr. Kyle suggested that the Government were going to jerrymander the constituencies for party purposes, as they had already done in connection with Local Government bodies, and as they had done in West Belfast when they denied to the Belfast workers the only representative that they ever had in the British Parliament.

PRIME MINISTER'S REPLY.

The Prime Minister, in rising to ask the House to reject the motion put forward by the leader of the Opposition, said that it was quite wrong to suggest that he or any other members of the Government were moved in the slightest degree by the hopes of a party triumph, or any narrow-minded motive whatever. The truth of the matter was that he was associated with this question of proportional representation for many years, and in 1909 he was chosen by the Unionist Party to give evidence against the system of proportional representation. Since then he had remained quite unconverted, and held that the direct voting was the most British, and they in Northern Ireland were British. It allowed each candidate to stand in his own seat, and enabled the electors to give a direct vote for the party in the State that they desired should have support. He thought that Mr. Kyle had admitted that the first part of his motion should not have been set down. He admitted that the Government was entitled to take the step that it proposed, but he demurred upon moral grounds, and suggested that the House should not sanction the abolition on moral grounds. He was going to justify the abolition of proportional representation in the Northern area on every ground. Every lawyer would admit that they had the power after three years to remodel their system of representation.

"I would like to point out," he added, "that had it been anticipated when the Act of 1920 (setting up the Northern Parliament) was being prepared that Southern Ireland would refuse to honour the Act when it was placed upon the Statute Book, I have not the slightest hesitation in asserting that, under the circumstances, proportional representation would never have been imposed on Northern Ireland. The Ulster members were consulted at the time, and they gave way, as they had to give way on a good many matters, entirely at the request of the British Government, in order to do something to help them through a most difficult time. The British Government had the idea at the back of their minds that, by conferring proportional representation on the two Parliaments, they were conferring a favour on Ireland as a whole, and that it would work out satisfactorily to both. But, if they had known at the time that Southern Ireland would reject that Act, and have nothing to do with it, I have no doubt that the British Government would have given in and not imposed proportional representation on the Northern area. Even to-day I am very doubtful—although I do not wish to go into the question with regard to the Free State—I am very doubtful, indeed, on whatever ground we may regard it, whether they conferred a favour on the Free State in imposing proportional representation upon them. That is a matter, of course, for the people of Southern Ireland to discuss for themselves.

THE ULSTER PARTIES.

In Ulster were two large parties, one of which was endeavouring to cling on to Great Britain, and, in no circumstances whatever, would it allow anything to divorce it from the Empire, of which they were as proud as was any other part of the globe. The other party was desirous of cutting Ulster from everything British and the Empire, and, if possible, getting Ulster's identity wiped out for the purpose of getting an all-Ireland Parliament in Dublin. If they asked themselves what was at the bottom of the whole matter, they would find that it would amount to this—whether they were to remain part and parcel of the great Empire, or whether they were to be submerged in a Dublin Parliament, with their independence cut off. Proportional representation, he maintained, clouded the real issue, so that the electors did not know what danger existed at the elections, because if the third, fourth and fifth preferences were by any chance wrongly cast Ulster might possibly wake up one day in a parlous position of being submerged in a Dublin Parliament. They did not bring forward the matter in a party spirit, and they did not know what would happen by returning to the old system.

"Do you hope for anything?" inquired a Labour member.

The Prime Minister replied that he was always hopeful and optimistic. Proportional representation did not help to secure the rights of minorities, who would be better off if they won at the polls the seats to which they were entitled. Under the old system they would get men for or against the Union.

"Sectarianism again," interjected a Labour member.

"Not at all," replied the Prime Minister, who maintained that proportional representation was far too cumbersome and too difficult to understand.

MR. DEVLIN'S SPEECH.

Mr. Joseph Devlin said that the Prime Minister had quoted Mr. T. P. O'Connor and Mr. Ramsay Macdonald as being opposed to proportional representation, but he did not quote Lord Lansdowne, Lord Milner and Lord Birkenhead as being its advocates; and surely the Prime Minister would not suggest that those gentlemen were hostile to the welfare and glory of the Empire. When the British Government, about whose glory and prestige the Prime Minister showed so much concern, threatened to put the Home Rule Act into operation, the Prime Minister threatened to rebel, and the Prime Minister had no right to charge him (Mr. Devlin) with rebellion, because he had never rebelled and never would rebel. The abolition of proportional representation was a mean, contemptible and callous attempt to rob the minority of the safeguard which they asked for, and which was incorporated in the 1920 Act by the Tory British Government.

Proceeding, Mr. Devlin asked if the Government went over and consulted their English masters before they decided to abolish proportional representation. Did they consult Sir Worthington-Evans before they agreed to take away this safeguard to the minority of Ulster? It was a mean, contemptible thing to do, and it would destroy any expression of opinion outside the larger parties in the House. He had no faith that fair play would be dealt out to the minority when they came to reconstruct the constituencies; for unparalleled bigotry had been shown in connection with the redistribution of the seats for local government elections.

POSSIBLE RESIGNATION.

Amidst laughter, Mr. Devlin said that he understood that there were in the back rooms of the Unionist Committee maps which the intelligent Unionist democracy were invited to inspect and see whether they liked their constituency, and, if a constituency did not suit them, it would be shifted to a more suitable place.

I was anxious for peace and good-will, proceeded Mr. Devlin. I was anxious to give the new institution a trial in Northern Ireland. One of the minority, I came in here, notwithstanding the fact that I was attacked and lampooned. But I did not complain, for after a long political experience I am used to that kind of thing, but if there is to be any more political jerrymandering of the constituencies I will not remain in this House for twenty-four hours. No man with any sense of dignity would remain in a Parliament in which a few members of the Opposition were to be allowed to sit for the purpose of giving a sort of reality to a Parliament when that reality did not exist.

He would come, he said, to the same conclusion that Sir Henry Wilson in his diary declared that the Prime Minister reached, namely, that he did not think much of this Parliament, and that it would not last long.

Giving instances of the unfair treatment of the minority, Mr. Devlin referred to the Fermanagh Regional Committee, which, he declared, was composed of 19 Protestants and two Catholics, although the majority of the school children were Catholics. He did not maintain that proportional representation was perfect—no system was perfect—but if the minority in its wisdom and judgment believed that it gave them a fair chance they ought to allow that system to continue. Of the fifty members in that House the Government had thirty fine, real true-blue supporters. (Laughter.) Was not that sufficient for them? Did it not give them sufficient security? The new scheme was to clear out the Independents.

VOTING FOR THE SENATE.

Prime Minister—I hope the hon. member realises that this is no new idea, but has been in our programme and approved by the electors in two general elections.

Mr. Devlin—I remember the time that you were opposed to old age pensions. That was in your programme, too. The Speaker, making a speech the other day, said that the minority in the North had no grievances. He would tell them one. What about the Senate? The Prime Minister did not tell them what he was going to do about elections to the Senate. It is elected by proportional representation. Was he going to abolish proportional representation there also?

Prime Minister—We have no power to alter the voting for the Senate.

Mr. Devlin—If proportional representation is such a curse why not get it altered there? No place needs reforming more.

Proceeding, Mr. Devlin said that the Prime Minister did not give one solid reason for wanting to abolish proportional representation, except that he wanted to keep two parties in the North perpetually at each other's throats. That Parliament should be merely an administrative body, because it was a Parliament without any power. It had no power to impose or to collect taxes, and in reality should be modelled upon the lines of a Chamber of Commerce. The Labour Party was to be wiped out, and the Independents.

Mr. Thomas Henderson (Independent)—We can get back; you need not worry about that.

THE TYRONE CONSTITUENCY.

Mr. James Cooper (Fermanagh and Tyrone) said that if the franchise was extended to include women of twenty-one the Tyrone and Fermanagh constituency would consist of 156,000 electors, and the constituency stretched from Belleek to Cookstown, a distance of eight miles. It would take three months to conduct an election campaign in that constituency. It would be better for members to have smaller constituencies.

The abolition of proportional representation was considered before there were any minorities' representatives in the House, and they considered it equally necessary then as now.

ANOTHER POSSIBLE RESIGNATION.

Mr. Thomas Henderson charged the Prime Minister on every possible occasion with trying to intimidate people with independent views, and suggesting that they wanted to wreck Ulster and drive it into the Free State. The sooner the Prime Minister altered his tone in that matter the better it would be for himself and his party. Unless the Prime Minister was more fair to the Independent members he would seriously consider whether he (Mr. Henderson) would continue a member of the House, but he would seek election to the British Parliament. This question of Ulster being forced into the Free State was about played out, and it would be better to pay more attention to the improving of the conditions of the people.

He was surprised that the Prime Minister did not refute the statement in Sir Henry Wilson's diary that he (the Prime Minister) said that this was a poor Parliament and would not last long. He (Mr. Henderson) would not like such a statement to be laid at his door.

Supporting the motion, Mr. T. MacAllister (Nationalist) said that there was not a single Catholic in the Northern Senate, while in the Free State Senate one-third of the members were co-religionists of the Prime Minister. Of the nine judges in the Free State five were also co-religionists of the Prime Minister; while there was not a single Catholic in the High Court in Northern Ireland.

The debate will be resumed to-day.

IMPERIAL CONTRIBUTIONS.

Replying to Mr. George Henderson, the Minister of Finance said:—The total amount of Imperial contributions payable from November 21st, 1921, to 31st March, 1928, is £22,399,344. The amounts included therein for the last year being provisionally assessed. The amount of special grants receivable in the same period from the Imperial Government is £11,439,333, of which £6,780,860 was for the Special Constabulary, £2,506,473 for unemployment purposes, and £2,000,000 for malicious injuries. It will be recognised that the Constabulary and malicious grants are Imperial in character, being given in respect of expenditure on a state of affairs for which this Government had no responsibility. I have not included in the above figures the expenditure of the Imperial Government on the provision of public buildings grant and the land purchase annuities, as these payments are in the nature of statutory obligations imposed on the Imperial Government by the Government of Ireland Act, 1920.

FISHERY HARBOURS.

The Minister of Commerce (Mr. Barbour), replying to Mr. Devlin, said that he referred the report on the harbours at Ardglass and Killough to the Departmental Committee on Fishery Harbours, which is about to conclude its inquiries. He proposed to issue Mr. Nichols's report as an appendix to the report. The report on Ballycastle Harbour had not yet come to hand.

The Minister of Home Affairs, replying to Mr. Devlin, said that it was impossible to state what action should be taken regarding the recommendations made by the Departmental Commission on local government administration in Northern Ireland until all the recommendations have been carefully and fully considered by the Government and the various interests concerned.

ANTRIM ELECTRICITY BILL.

On the motion of Mr. William Crawford, seconded by Mr. Rowley Elliott, a motion was passed enabling the promoters of the Antrim Electricity Supply Bill to suspend any further proceedings in order to proceed with the bill in the next session.

THE MINSTRELSY OF IRELAND.

TO-NIGHT'S LECTURE IN RATHMINES.

The first of the popular free public lectures for the 1927-1928 season will be given in the Rathmines Town Hall to-night, when Mr. Arthur Darley will speak on "The Minstrelsy of Ireland" and play a selection of Irish melodies on the violin. Dr. Walter Starkie, F.,T.C.D., will preside.

Others who will lecture during the season are—Major Bryan Cooper, T.D.; Mr. Bolton C. Waller, Mr. Lynn Doyle, Mr. Henry G. Smyth, B.A., LL.D.; Professor Mary T. Hayden, M.A.; Professor Wm. Magennis, M.A.; Mr. Liam O'Flaherty, the Rev. R. Lee Cole, M.A., D.D., and Mr. E. M. Stephens. Talks, stories and readings have also been arranged for school children on Tuesday evenings and Saturday afternoons.

This season's programme, from the point of view of general interest and educational value, shows that it has been prepared with great care by the members of the Library Committee and the librarian, Mr. John Roy.

IRISH PUBLIC BODIES' MUTUAL INSURANCES.

SUCCESS OF THE VENTURE.

A satisfactory report was submitted at the first ordinary general meeting of the Irish Public Bodies' Mutual Insurances, Ltd., which was held at 15 Rutland square, Dublin, yesterday—Senator P. W. Kenny presiding.

The directors' report drew attention to the substantial progress made during the first nine months of the company's existence. The fire losses amounted to only 4.29 per cent. of the net premium income, and the expense ratio was 31.08 per cent. The surplus realised during the period under review amounted to £1,293 18s. 8d. The directors had decided to write off the full amount of preliminary expenses, leaving a balance of £1,131.

Arrangements had been made whereby local authorities were enabled to insure against risks other than fire at specially reduced rates, with the gratifying result that substantial economies had been effected in this branch of local expenditure. The directors, it was emphasised, received no remuneration for their services. The company in its first nine months had demonstrated its usefulness, and the anticipations of its founders had already been amply vindicated.

PROSPECTS.

The position and prospects of the company, as shown in the first balance sheet, entitled it to the active support of the local authorities in Ireland, for whose benefit it had been established.

Their local representatives, the report concluded, could be relied upon to foster, through the medium of their own company, the development of Irish insurance enterprise under purely Irish control.

Senator P. W. Kenny, in proposing the adoption of the report, pointed out that their enterprise had prospered, though they had not received all the support they had been promised.

Mr. T. F. McGahon (Louth County Board of Health) seconded the adoption of the report, which was passed unanimously.

THE DIRECTORATE.

On the motion of Mr. S. O'Grady (Ennis District Mental Hospital), seconded by Mr. J. Kiersey (Waterford County Council), the following directors were re-elected:—Senator P. W. Kenny (County Councils' General Council), Joseph A. O'Neill (Dublin County Council), Michael Gallagher (Sligo County Board of Health), Michael Davis, T.D. (Mayo County Council); James T. McGee (Louth County Council), Count P. J. O'Byrne (Tipperary, North Riding, County Council), Thomas F. McGahon (Louth County Board of Health), Arthur P. Matthews, T.D. (Meath County Council); Edward Brady (Monaghan County Council), T. J. O'Kelly (King's County Council).

Mr. F. Bently proposed a vote of thanks to the chairman, directors and officers of the company, and commended the work of Mr. Joseph Brennan, the general manager.

Those present were:—Messrs. P. J. O'Shea (Killarney), F. M. Bentley, M.A. (Kingstown), P. Hughes (Dundalk), S. O'Grady (Ennis), S. O'Byrne (Enniscorthy), Count P. J. O'Byrne, J. Kiersey (Waterford), M. O'Connor (Tralee), A. P. Matthews, T.D. (Meath), T. Rossiter (Wexford), T. J. Kelly (King's County), T. F. Casey (Waterford), M. Gallagher (Sligo), J. A. O'Neill (Dublin), J. McSweeney (Kerry).

TYRONE SECRETARYSHIP.

QUESTION OF SALARY.

At Tyrone County Council meeting a report was submitted from a sub-committee recommending, subject to the approval of the Ministry, that a Secretary to the Council be appointed in the room of Mr. C. C. Hamilton, at an inclusive salary of £600 a year (to cover all duties pertaining to the office), rising by increments of £20 every two years to a maximum of £800.

Mr. H. K. McAleer said that the sub-committee had done an admirable day's work for the Council and for the ratepayers.

The Chairman (Colonel Howard) said that the new Secretary would have to enter into an agreement to hand over to the County Council all the emoluments received under various Acts of Parliament, and which hitherto went to supplement the salary of his predecessor.

Major-General Montgomery moved that the salary be fixed at £700 a year, rising to £900.

Mr. John Glasgow seconded the motion.

Mr. Rowley Elliott, M.P., a member of the sub-committee, said that the recommendation was unanimous.

On a poll 20 voted for the adoption of the committee's report and 3 against. Those in the minority were Major-General Montgomery, Messrs. John Glasgow and D. Craig.

SLUMP IN PRICE OF PORK.

In the North-West markets yesterday there were very large supplies of pork, and in Enniskillen the price was 58s. per cwt. In Cavan the top price was 57s. per cwt.

STARVATION IN MAYO.

CARRIGEEN MOSS AS SOLE DIET.

HELP FROM FRENCH "POACHERS."

In our issue of Monday we published the fact that hundreds of people in the Barony of Erris, North Mayo, are in a state of semi-starvation, and gave a number of cases to illustrate the widespread poverty that exists. Additional details now have been supplied to us by Mr. Ailbhe O Monachain, who writes from the headquarters of the Gaelic League, 25 Parnell square, Dublin, as follows:—

"I hope the details given in to-day's issue about poverty in Mayo will make our legislators get a move on to do something for the Gaeltacht. The two big political parties have accepted the recommendations of the Gaeltacht Commission, but they do not seem to have realised that the question is a very urgent one. The Gaeltacht Commission was appointed on March 4th, 1925. The Commission report was published July 14th, 1926. Up to date nothing has been done to put even the life and death recommendations into effect.

"Last winter—as Gaelic League organiser—I travelled all over Mayo, and I saw and heard for myself how bad conditions really are. You have already given some details of the Barr na Traw district, and now I desire to give to our Gaelic teachtai Dala (members of the Dail) some details about the Black Sod district. I recommend this particular district to them because it is the most Gaelic place in County Mayo—and that is no small recommendation.

CARRIGEEN MOSS AS ONLY FOOD.

"When I was in Mayo I was asked by a certain relief society to make some suggestions as to how a certain small sum of money should be divided in the Mayo Gaeltacht. When I had completed my enquiries I recommended that food should be sent to the half parish of Black Sod with the money available. I got a list of 115 names of people and families who were in need of relief. In some of the families there were as many as eight children.

"I heard of people living on Carrigeen moss for three meals a day, and shopkeepers told me that the money made on help was spent months before it was earned. Last season potatoes were only threepence per stone, and yet many people could not afford to buy seed.

"Black Sod Bay is the place suggested for the mythical All Red Route. It is a splendid harbour, deep and well sheltered. The natural advantages are many, and the artificial advantages so few that one can only conclude that Black Sod was purposely neglected. There is only one small, ancient quay, built by the old grand jury, and not as much as a slip for the use of the fisher folk. Men coming from the islands for supplies have to jump into the water and haul little boats up on the strand. Even the fishermen cannot go out at night in dry clothes.

FRENCH POACHERS HELP THE PEOPLE.

"But, indeed, what fishing is done is very harmless, and but for the much-maligned French 'poachers'—who buy up all the crayfish and lobsters—the people of Black Sod might just as well keep their feet dry.

"There are very few boats in this place and only one big one, and what few boats there are are very badly equipped. If any fish are caught and sent to the Dublin market—by motor and rail—the fishermen are lucky if they have not to pay for the privilege.

"I may have something to say later on the question of land distribution in this district, but at present I have only grumbles to go on—no definite information.

"Other districts are just as badly off as Black Sod. Some money has been spent on "relief" works, making roads on the tops of bogs and tearing up the few handfuls of earth from between the rocks to make fences round nothing.

"There are a few knitting schools in Erris, doing beautiful work of high quality at reasonable prices, but as a rule these schools are just barely struggling to keep going. They are under the Department of Fisheries.

TRAWLERS DOING GREAT HARM.

Trawlers—mostly English—are doing great harm on the fishing on the Erris coast. I have heard that they come right in past the lighthouse at Black Sod, and sweep all before them going out. Occasionally we read of case. of Frenchmen being fined for poaching, but it is doubtful if these Frenchmen with their little ketches can do any harm. They are doing harm in other ways, though—in Tir Conaill at least, selling 'whiskey.'

"The Murchu patrol boat, of course, cannot be ever in two places at once; probably a few submarine chasers would be more effective and cost less.

"I shall be glad to put anyone interested in the Gaeltacht in touch with reliable persons who will give them further details."

OUTDOOR RELIEF IN ENNISKILLEN.

TEA AT 3/6 PER LB.

The auditor's report for the half-year ending March 31 last was read at Enniskillen Board of Guardians yesterday. He drew attention to the fact that people in receipt of outdoor relief were getting tea at 3s. 6d. per lb. The Irvinestown Guardians objected to their being charged a proportion of the establishment charges, such as repairs to roof and structural alterations. The auditor allowed the appeal, and credited to that Board £15 9s. in respect of their inmates in the house. The Hon. Cecil L. Corry, J. M. Geddes, F. R. Carson, Robert Elliott, D Reilly, W. J. Brown, A. Savage, John McLoughlin (Fair View), and John McLaughlin (Henry street) were surcharged a sum of £7 10s. 9d. in respect of the payment for milk. The Guardians had not accepted the lowest tender, and the Guardians named authorised the payment by their signature on the treasurers' advice note.

MEMBER AND SURCHARGE.

Colonel Richardson said that tea in his home cost 2s. 10d. per lb., and other Guardians said that their tea cost 2s. 4d. and 2s. 6d. It was ordered that in future the tea should not cost more than 2s. 6d. per lb. Also, potatoes were charged at 1s. 2d. per stone by shopkeepers, when the price should have been 7d. The order made in this case was that potatoes be 2d. per stone over market price.

Regarding the surcharge, Lord Belmore said that it was ridiculous. Members who had voted against the higher tender were surcharged. They took it for granted, when they were asked to sign the treasurers' advice note, that it was all right.

The Clerk said that he warned the Board the last time the higher contract was taken that there would be a surcharge; but on that occasion there was a record vote giving the tender, and those that voted for it would be those that would be surcharged.

When the question of an appeal was raised, the Clerk asked: What defence have the members to the surcharge?

VACCINATION IN THE NORTH.

BELFAST RATEPAYER'S PROTEST

A letter was read at the meeting of the Belfast Guardians yesterday from a ratepayer who had been prosecuted for failing or neglecting, without reasonable excuse, to have his child vaccinated. The writer stated that he had found it impossible to procure a copy of the Vaccination (Ireland) Acts at the Northern publication offices, and he was, therefore, unable to go into the matter legally prior to the case being heard. Although he appeared in Court and conducted his defence, he was fined 20s. and costs. At a time when England had enjoyed the benefit of exemption for 29 years (since 1898) it was somewhat surprising to be told that no such provisions existed here.

Mrs. Dunbar said that she wanted to know what was meant by "failing or neglecting without reasonable excuse." The writer of the letter had acted conscientiously, and he was prepared to pay the fine and costs; but he considered that they as a Board were not prosecuting but persecuting him.

The Chairman said that the clerk would reply, but the matter was out of their hands.

GREAT LAW-SUIT.

WORKMAN CLARK CASE TO-MORROW.

One of the greatest law suits ever heard in Ireland will be opened before Mr. Justice Brown in the High Court, Belfast, to-morrow. It is the case of Urquhart v. Stracey and others—better known as "the Workman Clark case."

Hundreds of thousands of pounds are involved in the action, the hearing of which will last at least a month. The cost of the preliminary work alone amounts to about £18,000, and it is said that the trial will cost about £1,000 a day.

The statement of claim covers eight printed foolscap pages, and it has taken typists weeks to prepare the briefs for counsel.

Mr. E. S. Murphy, K.C., will lead for the plaintiff, and it is expected that his opening speech will occupy two days. With him will be Mr. W. Lowry, K.C.; Mr. A. K. Overend, K.C., and Mr. J. H. S. Russell. Mr. Comyns, K.C., of the English Bar, and Mr. S. L. Brown, K.C., have been retained as consultants. Mr. T. E. Alexander is the solicitor, and in the preparation of the case he has been assisted by Mr. J. P. Dillon, of Dublin, and Mr. E. A. Bell, London.

Mr. J. M. Whitaker, K.C., and Mr. M. G. Ellison (instructed by Messrs. Johns, Elliott and Johns, of Belfast, and Messrs. Deacon and Co., London), will appear for Messrs. Sperling and Co., merchant bankers, defendants.

Mr. A. B. Babington, K.C., M.P., Attorney-General for Northern Ireland, with Mr. J. Monroe, K.C.; Mr. J. H. Robb, K.C., M.P., and Mr. E. Warnock (instructed by Messrs. McLean and Son) will appear for Messrs. Frank Workman and C. E. Allen, defendants.

Mr. J. McGonigal, K.C., is senior counsel for Mr. E. A. Workman. Mr. J. A. Pringle, K.C., and Mr. Arthur Black, M.P., have been briefed by Mr. R. Wallace for Sir George Clark and Mr. G. E. Clark, defendants.

Mr. W. Beattie, K.C., and Mr. E. J. McKean (instructed by Messrs. Carson and McDowell) will appear for Sir John Esplen, defendant.

A watching brief for Messrs. Workman, Clark and Co. will be held by Mr. S. C. Porter.

MISSIONARY EFFORT.

FIVE DAYS' EXHIBITION AND SALE IN DUBLIN.

The Archbishop of Dublin yesterday performed the opening ceremony at a five-days' sale and exhibition which is being held by the Hibernian Church Missionary Society in the Metropolitan Hall, Dublin.

Having remarked on the saying that seeing is believing, and commented that it was true that until the imagination was fired by something which we had seen our interest would be somewhat lukewarm, he said that this exhibition was meant to show us something of the need that existed, something of what went on in the common daily life, in the lands that had not the Gospel, to show us that there was only one conclusion to be drawn. "These people are our brothers and our sisters, and they are in need."

"What is the conclusion, as far as we are concerned?" he went on. "That is a matter for our own selves. You are intended to ask: Can I do nothing? I want to impress upon you that this is God's work; in your particular vocation or ministry you are doing something for God.

"I should like to remind you of what the C.M.S. told us in the last report. The receipts for the year were £570,000, an increase of nearly £90,000 on the previous year. A large amount of that is due, I take it, to the World Call. The C.M.S. is anxious that the annual receipts should be £500,000 as a result of regular work and subscriptions and not of any special stimulus. We should ask God that the result of this exhibition should be a greater dedication of our lives to the service of God in the foreign mission field."

The Rev. Canon Mohan presided, and the opening prayers were read by the Rev. James Haythornthwaite, Hon. Secretary, H.C.M.S.

The main hall contains a series of courts and stalls illustrative of the daily life in the many lands in which the mission works. Africa, India, Persia, China and Japan are represented, and every day lectures will be given on the different countries. Yesterday, in the Persian Court, Miss Janet Woodroffe, who has spent four years in Persia, spoke on the mental and social needs of the women of that country. Some members of the Young People's Union of the Female Orphan House, dressed as Persian women, helped in the costume scene.

Other lectures were given on Africa, by the Rev. A. E. Clarke, the Rev. A. Wilson and Miss Chadwick; on India, by Mrs. Sinclair Stevenson, Mrs. Lea and Miss Graham; on China, by the Rev. A. W. R. Norton, Miss A. Armstrong and the Rev. J. Curtis, and on Japan by Miss Galgey and the Rev. H. G. Warren. Talks on the Hospital Ward were given by Dr. Fishe and Mrs. Schaffter. In the Scenic Room upstairs the Rev. L. P. Hill and Mrs. Hill showed Japanese costume scenes; members of the Girls' Friendly Society showed "Pictures in the Fire," and Miss Woodroffe and the members of Kill Parish Young People's Union showed a Persian costume scene entitled "A Schoolgirl at Home."

In the minor hall there are numerous beautifully decorated stalls filled with all manner of useful and attractive articles. The principal stallholders are Mrs. Ormsby Hamilton and Miss Sherwood, fancy stall; the Misses Huggard and Miss J. Willington, utility stall; Miss Fisher and the Misses Whyte-Fisher, Medical Missions' Association stall; Miss Hilda McComas, zoological stall; Mrs. G. Campbell Webb, handkerchief and linen stall; Mrs. R. E. Mellon and Miss F. Jackson, advertisement stall; Mrs. Robert Smith sweet stall; Miss Martha Brown and the Young People's Union, cake stall; Mrs. Lenehan, ice cream stall. Mrs. J. H. Miller with a large band of helpers, has charge of the refreshment stall, and Mrs. Bland, Mrs. W. Hughes and Mrs. C. Williams have charge of the country market, the proceeds of which are for medical missions.

To-day the opening ceremony will be performed by the Earl of Wicklow.

YOUNG PUPIL'S SUCCESS.

A pupil of St. Stephen's Green School, Dublin, Wilfred Hurley, won the third junior exhibition at the recent examinations at Trinity College, while still under the age of seventeen. He is young enough to compete at the October examination, 1929. He is a son of Mr. H. H. Hurley, of the firm of Messrs. Hayes and Sons, solicitors.

THE LATE MR. PETER M'INNES.

The death of Mr. Peter McInnes took place on the 22nd inst. at his residence, The Cottage, Phœnix Park. For twenty-five years he had been overseer, under the Board of Works, of the Government Buildings, Phœnix Park. An office bearer in the Scots Church, Dublin, for many years; a member of St. Andrew's Society, and a musician of considerable repute, his loss is mourned by his family and a large circle of friends.

The interment took place yesterday at Mount Jerome Cemetery, the Rev. A. H. Macpherson officiating at the graveside.

The chief mourners were:—Robert P. Dancey and Andrew Anderson (sons-in-law).

The general public was represented by Colonel Guilfoyle, representing the Governor-General; the Right Hon. James MacMahon, Sir William J. Thompson, representing the Marquis and Marchioness of Aberdeen and Temair; John Dancey, the Rev. B. W. Simpson, J. Hubbard Clark, Robert Anderson, M. Humphrey, Sir Simon Maddock, D.L.; J. C. Irvine, and W. H. H. Cooke; J. M. Fairweather, C. W. Pemberton, B. H. Carnow, B. G. Joyce, S. G. Reeves, Thornton F. Pearson, T. Moorehouse, C. Anderson, R. Duthie, James Byrne, E. B. Martin, J. Bacon, Mr. Maher, F. Behan, T. H. Purcell, M. Dunne, J. Collins and J. Lane, Board of Works; William Lawlis, P. J. Williams, John Meckle, J. Birie, W. J. Marra, John Brown, F. R. Stephen, C. Sim, T. J. Boyd, Dr. Merrick, C. Anderson, C. J. Heather, A. H. Oliphant, L. Ritchie, W. Dawson, John Russell, J. G. Banion, and W. Cruickshank; J. Brennan, P. Walsh, Dr. U. J. Bills, F. Harrington, J. Ronan and A. L. Lockwood, Civic Guards; J. A. Bell, Ministry of Defence; D. Anderson and J. Roche; J. Hanson, D. Hopkins and T. J. Ryan, of Messrs. Dockrell Ltd.; J. F. Buchanan, J. Harrison, R. Scandlore, W. R. Swan, H. Cawthra, V. J. Murray, John Horan, D. W. McIntosh, John Keadle, M. O'Sullivan, S. R. Francis, J. Roche, M. A. Tonby, G. M. Browne and Misses L. Long and M. Scott, representing the Women's National Health Association.

Wreaths were sent by His Excellency the Governor-General, the Marquis and Marchioness of Aberdeen and Temair, the Architectural Section of the Board of Works, Minister and Office Assistants of the Scots Church, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Allison, Mr. and Mrs Hubbard Clark, Mr. Robert Anderson, Workers at the Governor-General's Residence and Civic Guard Depot, Mr. R. Duthie, the Staff at the Viceregal Gardens, Mr. and Mrs. Pearson and Staff, Phœnix Park; Mr. Sinclair, Chief Secretary's Lodge; Mr. and Mrs. John Dancey, the Rev. B. W. and Mrs. Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. C. Sim, Mr. and Mrs. H. Cawthra, the President, Council and Members of the Women's National Health Association, and the Staff, 9 Ely place.

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WHAT WILL YOU WEAR?
A PROBLEM FOR WOMEN
IN THE
Weekly Irish Times
TO-DAY

WORKHOUSE AS FACTORY.

The Donegal County Council yesterday agreed to let three rooms in Carndonagh Workhouse to Mr. Charles M'Laughlin, Carndonagh, in connection with a shirt manufacturing business, at £210 a year, Mr. M'Laughlin to pay for the necessary structural alterations.

The next great task of humanity is not deliverance by the sword, but deliverance from the sword.—Mr. Lloyd George.

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Who could imagine a more poignant story than this? A champion athlete — bedridden! Told that he could never walk again . . . ! And then he took Kruschen.

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FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES.

TONE AND COMMENT.

DUBLIN QUIETER.

MARCONIS "BOOM."

There was less business current on 'Change yesterday, and prices moved more quietly in certain directions, where considerable fluctuations took place the previous few days. The feature was undoubtedly the subdued excitement in Marconi Wireless Telegraph Shares, where, it is asserted, the dealers have been caught short. This may or may not be vouched for, but intrinsically it is not a bull point, beyond the needs of the moment, unless followed by fresh buying tactics. The question of a reduction in the capital is still pending before the London Law Courts to adjust book depreciations of certain so-called assets. The shares were just 35s., buyers, until later on, when the price was carried up rapidly to 36s., 36s. 1½d. The Funds fluctuated. Consols slipped ¼ and India 3½ per cent. ½, but War Loan 5 per cent. advanced to 103, carrying the 50s. dividend that will be deducted from the price immediately. Government National Loan was on offer at last price, but the best bid was 97½, or ¼ under previous marking. This stock will also be quoted ex 50s. dividend probably to-morrow, but certainly in the next few days. Bank Stock gave way a point for cash, but Nationals and Royals both hardened. Firm support was again given to Guinness Ord. and Pref., Shares at further slight improvement. Among Rails, Great Northern issues show an almost general rise. Great Southern Pref. also improved, but the Guaranteed and Deb. Stocks both gave way on increase of supplies. Dublin United Tram 3½ per cent. "A" Debs. marked the low point record of 60 for a broken lot. Parent Trust Deferred eased, but Gas, Bakery and Drapery Shares held firm. Tobaccos rallied towards the close. Coats and Cotton Ord. both gave way, but the Pref. of the former were strongly supported. Courtaulds, Dunlops and British Match Ord. were neglected, but not for the same reason. Lever Bros. hardened. Imperial Chemicals closed over lowest. Wallace Bros. Pref. (coal) closed materially higher. Branston Art. Silk rallied sharply.

LONDON STEADY.

EXCITED DEALINGS IN MARCONIS.

Some sharp movements in Marconi shares provided a feature on the London Stock Markets yesterday. At the outset the price rose sharply on rumours of buying for control and shortage of shares in the market, and touched 38s., as against last night's level of 35s. 6d. Later, however, there was a reaction to 35s., followed by fluctuations between that price and 37s. A somewhat firmer tone ruled in the gilt-edged section, and at the close of the day several issues quoted harder values, War Loan 3½ and 5 per cent. being among the number, while Conversion Loan 3½ per cent. also strengthened. A generally steady tone ruled in Foreign Government stock market, and final levels were for the most part unchanged from Monday's rates. German sevens, however, were a better market, as were French fives, but Belgian sevens and Turkish Unified went off a trifle. Home Rails continued quiet, and, with the exception of Great Western Ord., which stiffened the turn, the closing values were the same as before. A quietly firm tone still prevailed in Colonial and Foreign Rails, and the few movements recorded were mostly in the upward direction.

Movements among Industrials were somewhat irregular, although there was still a good deal of business going on. Artsilks were weaker in several instances, while, among Match descriptions, Swedish was continued dull. Gramophone and Columbia Gramophones displayed an easier appearance, but Tobaccos were steadier. Iron and Steels, as a rule, were quiet and steady. An irregular tendency ruled in Rubbers, and on balance improvements were against holders. Oils also made an irregular showing, while among Mines, South Africans were heavy in tone. Tins also eased in several directions — the lower quotation for the metal.

PORT ALFRED PULP AND PAPER CORPORATION.

We understand that underwriting arrangements were completed yesterday in connection with an offer at 97 p.c. of £1,000,000 Series "A" 5½ p.c. First Mortgage Sinking Fund Thirty Year Registered Debenture Stock, and that this stock will probably be offered for public subscription to-morrow (Thursday). The Prefd. shares of this Corporation are already well known to investors.

LAMOT, LTD. (BREWERS).

Underwriting in connection with the issue of 125,000 Cum. Part. Preference Shares of £1 each at par of Lamot, Ltd. (Brewers), was completed yesterday.

CANADIAN PAPER COMPANY AMALGAMATION.

An amalgamation of the Atbitibi Power Paper Company, Limited, and of the Spanish River Pulp Paper Mills, Limited, now needs only the approval of the shareholders of both companies to become an accomplished fact. The final details have been worked out in Montreal satisfactorily by the directors. The plan involves the raising of no new capital at present, but only the exchange of the common stocks of the companies concerned and of their subsidiaries.

TOLLEY'S TAX MANUALS.

No. 1 of this series deals with "Business Profits," and shows how they are computed and assessed for income tax purposes. The points dealt with are—Profits chargeable and expenses allowed, the old average and new system of assessment, and discontinued businesses, losses, partners, companies, wear and tear, claims, returns, assessment, appeals, etc. There are clear examples of these points. No business man should be without a copy. (1s. 7d. post free.)

DEAD SEA CONCESSION.

The *Financial News* states that the news that a concession for the exploitation of the salt deposits of the Dead Sea has at last been granted—and to a British syndicate—has caused a not unjustifiable stir in the country. It is not, therefore, surprising that the details of the deal should have been considerably exaggerated as they were handed out to the public. Not that the concession is not important, or that the store of minerals in the basin of the Dead Sea is less than has been stated. Exaggeration has been as to the details of the deal and the immediate prospect of the development of the deposits. The Imperial Chemical Industries, Ltd., has not been granted the concession, nor is it yet certain that it will venture on the enterprise. The concession has been granted to a British group headed by a well-known engineer. This group is now in touch with Imperial Chemicals, and is inquiring how far they would be interested in it. It is a mistake to imagine that the products of the Dead Sea will be marketed at an early date in large amounts or seriously challenge the potash now being sold by the Germans and the French. Until the problem of transport from the Sea to the coast has been settled, it will not be economic to shift any large quantities of potash. It is apparent that it will be one year, at least, before any considerable use can be made of the reserves which are being released for exploitation

COMPANY NOTICES.

NORTHERN BANKING COMPANY, LIMITED.

The ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the PROPRIETORS of the STOCK of the NORTHERN BANKING COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held in the CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, SCOTTISH PROVIDENT BUILDINGS, DONEGALL SQ. WEST, BELFAST, on THURSDAY, the 27th day of OCTOBER, instant, at TWELVE o'clock noon, to receive the Report of the Directors and Committee of Shareholders, to Elect Auditors, and to transact such other business as may be brought before them.

An Extraordinary General Meeting of the Proprietors will be held on same day, at same place, at 12.30 p.m., to consider and, if approved, pass an Extraordinary Resolution to alter the Regulations of the Company to give power to establish a Register of Shareholders in and other powers in connection with the business in the Irish Free State, of which due notice will be given to the Proprietors.

Signed by Order, MARCUS B. MATHEWS, Secretary.

Northern Banking Company, Limited, Belfast, 1st October, 1927.

LONDON CHANGES.

In the gilt-edged market War Loan 3½ and 5 per cent. each improved ¼ to 100¾ and 102¾ respectively. Consols 2½ per cent. and 4 per cent. were quiet and unchanged, as were Funding Loan and Victory Bonds, but Conversion Loan 3½ per cent. and Local Loans went better, the former gaining ¼ to 75¾, while the latter closed ¼ firmer at 63¾. Among Colonial Government stocks Ceylon 6 per cent. at 108 and South African 6 per cent. at 102 were each a point better.

In Foreign Government stocks Chinese issues, Brazilians and Peruvian Corporations were all the same as before, and Japanese also repeated their overnight values. French fives, however, went ¼ better to 16¾, while German sevens at 103 x.d. were a full point firmer. Belgian sevens, on the other hand, went ¼ lower at 108, while Turkish Unified at 23¼ were a similar amount lower.

RAILS QUIET.

Little of interest transpired in Home Rails, and the closing values were mostly the same as previously. Great Western Ord., however, were an exception, and here an advance of ¼ was returned at 91.

Colonial and Foreign Rails were also a quiet market, and here also price movements were few and far between. B.A.G.S., however, stiffened to 114, while Central Argentine quoted 95¼. San Paulo advanced further to 187½, or a point firmer, but United Havana at 69½ were ¼ easier. "Can Pacs" were unchanged on the day, as were Grand Trunks and Cordoba Centrals, while Mexican Rails also showed no change.

RUBBER SHARES IRREGULAR.

There was not a great deal of business passing in the Rubber Share market, while a somewhat irregular tendency ruled. Actual price movements were not numerous, but on balance they showed a margin against holders. A quiet and steady tone ruled in the commodity market. Spot and November sold 1s. 4¾d. per pound, and December fetched 1s. 4¾d., while January to March were 1s. 5¼d. and April to June 1s. 5¾d. per pound.

TEA SHARES FIRMER.

The harder tendency manifest on Monday made further progress yesterday, and although the volume of business put through was not on an active scale, a fairly long list of appreciable improvements was scored, while only a few instances were the final values below the previous day's level. Amalgamated Estates rose to 50¾, or ¾ to the good, while British Indian finished 1s. 7½d. firmer at 82s. Consolidated Tea and Lands put on ¼ to 38¾, and Darjeeling Consolidated spurted to 68s. 9d., or 2s. 1½d. up. Deundi finished 10½d. better, and Eastern Produce and Empire were 1s. 3d. and ¼ up, while Jhanzie and Jokai were ¼ and ½ firmer, respectively. Borelli eased the turn to 5¾, or ½ lower, while Dimbula Valley dropped 10½d. to 75s. 1½d. x.d. Nuwara Eliya shed 1s. to 126s., and Lanka lost 6d. to 57s. 3d.

OILS FINISH STEADY.

Some hesitation was observable at the commencement of business in the Oil share market yesterday, and during the early hours an air of uncertainty prevailed. Later in the day, however, a demand arose, and generally the early losses in the leading counters were made good, the market finishing with a steady tone, and dealings in the late afternoon being conducted with greater confidence. An outstanding feature was provided by Anglos, which, after having been under a cloud for some little time past, have shown distinct signs of revival this week, it being reported that interests, who were recently fairly heavy sellers, have now turned buyers.

INDUSTRIALS IRREGULAR.

While there was a fair amount of business passing in the Industrial market yesterday, the general tone continued irregular. The best feature was provided by Mond Nickel, which enjoyed another substantial advance, following an announcement from the company stating that the latest information in regard to the Frood Mine confirms assays at the central drilling hole. Mond Nickels finished a strong market, with buyers still in evidence after official hours, when the price was carried to ¾, thus showing an advance of 10s. on balance. Electrical Equipments maintained a firm front, with the exception of Siemens, which encountered sellers, and closed with a decline of 9d. at 33s.

Artsilks were heavy in tone. British Celanese Ord. dipped at one time to 3½, but rallied eventually to 4⅛, with the Pref. unchanged at 31s., the New Debs. closing at 1½ prem. American Celanese Common eased to 19½ and Canadian Celanese to 13½. Courtaulds gave way to 7½, but Glanzstoff steadied to 6. The Textile leaders were undecided; J. and P. Coats stiffened to 63s. 6d., and Calico Printers to 28s. 6d.

Breweries received moderate support, Allsopp Ord. were inquired for again around 25s., and Guinness strengthened to 435. The Tobacco group had a steadier appearance. In answer to inquiries, the Imperial Tobacco Company states that they do not regard the reported purchase by an American company of an interest in the business of J. Wix and Son, Ltd., as the commencement of a Tobacco war. "Imps" closed 1s. 9d. better at 99s., and "Bats" rallied 9d. to 101s. 3d.; Godfrey Phillips put on 2s. to 24s., with Carreras, Copes, and R. and J. Hill unchanged.

DEALINGS IN LONDON MARKET.

The following dealings among active stocks and shares were "marked" in London yesterday:—

Consols—55, 1s. 3d., 55⅛, 55⅜, 55⅛, 55⅜, 55⅛, 55⅜,

MONEY MARKET.

ANS STRINGENT.

as in short supply, owing to the calls on new issues, amounting £1,000,000, coupled with window-erations by some of the banks. were not calling in so heavily as ticipated, but, nevertheless, there l demand for loans, borrowers up to 4½ per cent. for accommo- l to-day. Old day-to-day money d at 3¾ to 3½ per cent., and res at 3½ per cent.

Discount (changed April 21 1927)			4½ %
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.....	4¼ %	"	4¼ 4
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rs Day-to-day.....			3½ 3
for a Week.....			3½ %
nce: Banks at Call.....			3½ %
Discount Houses at Call.....			3½ %
at Notice.....			3¼ %

of the Discount market was firm, easuries being offered at 4⅜ up cent., while fine three months' bills were maintained at the

	Oct. 25 Closing Rates	Oct. 24 Closing Rates	Par Rate
	12.09⅜	12.09⅜	12.10⅛
	47⅝	47⅝	47⅝
	28.40	28.35	28.37.25.22½
	20.40	20.40	20.40⅛
	34.98	34.98½	34.99
	1.61.64	1.61.64	1.61.64
	18.17½	18.17½	18.17
	25.25¼	25.25¼	25.25½
	366	366	366
	193⅛	193⅛	193⅛
	89.15	89.05	89.15
	1.10.00	1.10.00	1.10.00
	4.86⅝	4.86⅝	4.86⅝
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ENDS AND REPORTS.

N TRUST.—Final dividend at rate of ectual, less tax, making 8 per cent, ame.).

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UBBER.—Final dividend at the rate ½, less tax, making 15 per cent. for ded 31st July. (Last year 15 per 22½ per cent.)

HILLA RAILWAY AND PIER CO.—d of 4 per cent. per annum, less e per cent. for the year ended 30th

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PARA PLANTATIONS.—Dividend less tax, for year.

NTERNATIONALE DENGERGIE ECTRIQUE.—Dividend for the finan- 26-27 will be paid at the following presentation of coupons:—No. 4 Preference Shares at 47f. (belgas ns from Ordinary Shares at 47f. coupons from Founders' Shares at gas 34.366).

THE LEGAL DIARY.

TICES—Wednesday, October 26.

RT BHREITHEAMHNAIS TAGH- Supreme Court.—At 11 o'clock. For v. Joyce, part heard; Kelly v. Ryle, fifth action.—Curtis, solicitor.

THOIR DO'N PRIMH-BHREITHEAMH the Chief Justice.—Before Mr. 11 o'clock—O'Mahony, a minor.

CHUIRT BHREITHEAMHNAIS (The Is Court 1.—At 11 o'clock. Action— minister for Local Government. Motion— ding and Supply Co. v. Griffith. For 3 October. Action—Cooney v. Pembroke

2.—Action—Performing Right Society v. ouncil, at hearing.

NA hAIRD-CHUIRTE (The Master of irt).—Before the Master, at 11 o'clock. ounts. Summary Summonses—Daly v. v. Gavin; Yorkshire Insurance Co. v. nch v. Martin; Northern Banking Co. ons v. Gaskin. On Notice—O'Keeffe v. ommissioners of Public Works v. L.M. v. Cox; Burtett v. Gasgoine.

Y JURY.—In Court 2, at 11 o'clock. Menamin v. Harvey and another (breach in hearing); Newman v. the National Land and (money had). In Court 6, at Mahon v. The Irish People's Assurance Co. v. ublin Assurance Co. and ors. (defamation). Hattenson v. the Unseen Jurors (No. 1, ve, are required to attend this morning ourts, the Castle, in Court No. 4, at 11 at Jurors will be fined. In Court 4, at Jury—Gough v. Scanlon (assault), at Jurors sworn in the above case at hearing attend this morning at the Law Courts, in Court No. 4, at 11 o'clock. For to October Juries' sittings—Fogarty, ner (personal injuries); McCann v. the ineering Co., Ltd. (personal injuries).

APPEALS.—Before the Special Commis- ell Castle, at 11 o'clock. In Court Specially Fixed—North Dublin District ber v. Roche. Western Circuit—Cotter v. Galway Board of Health; Lyons v. in v. Lyons. Cork Circuit—Crowley v. thern Circuit—Tully v. Fahy; Jones v. y. For: Moran v. Cantley. Northern Land Commission v. Kildare Dublin ity Circuit—Trustees Edward Yacht Club e. Council; Cruise v. Cruse. Cases ber. For Friday, 28th October—Weir v.

APPEALS.—Before the Special Commis- urt No. 7, at 11 o'clock. For Thursday, On the sitting of the Court the following called to ascertain what cases are being th:—Midland Circuit—Keegan v. Tuite; Upper Inny Drainage Board v. Boylan; Leinster Bank v. the Queen's Co. Co. Mountmellick No. 1 R.D.C. Minister for Mayo. Western Circuit—Lee v. Cavanagh; Duffy. Southern Circuit—Harpur v. Cahill—Williamson v. Williamson; Irs. v. Finance; I.L. Commission v. Brady.

SCRUTINORS (the Examiners' Office).— Malley v. Beatty; Munster and Leinster v. Woods; same v. Clark; Devers v. Keating v. Hanafer; White v. Blakeney v. Thompson (Carriers), Ltd. v. Mr. Healy at 11 o'clock—Munster and Leinster Bank, Ltd., v. Dodd; Robinson v. Dodd; Robinson v. Publicity; Egan v. Crowe; Egan v. Bank of Ireland, Ltd., v. Kennedy, decd.; O'Rourke v. O'Boyle; L. Kennedy, decd., Kennedy v. Trov, decd.; Rickard v. Leinster Bank, Ltd., v. Lawlor, Rooney, decd., v. Brien, decd.; Brien v. Bank, Ltd.; City of Dublin Steam Packet Nugent, decd., v. Nugent et al.

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CHLAISTEOIR-MHEASAIREACHTA (the ister's Office).—Master Denning, at 10 Estate of Kennedy, deceased; Estate of Estate of Taxations—Munster and Leinster ers; J. F. Smith; Smith Dublin, T/O; Cronin v. Thompson, O'Connell and Co. Connell v. Thompson, O'Connell and Co. ers, at 11 o'clock—O'Brien v. O'Reilly; ien; Keating v. Dobbs. W. A. Laughlin; Donnell. Hourican and Son v. Mullingar Shaw, Joseph A. Shaw; Hime, decd., S. O

TCY.—Before the Registrar, at 11 o'clock- ate. Scallan and Co.; Sinnott, sch. as Scallan and Co.; Sinnott, sch. as Caser, decd., Clay and ell, do. Collins and Son; arrangt., do. and Cullen; do. do. J. J. Earls; do. do. Counter; Dalton, sch. as Dobbyn and ch. as Collins and Son.

ANI COMMISSION.—Examiners' Cham- Merrion square. Before Mr. Jeffrey White, Henry R. Hayes and ors. (£ 248), settle At 3.30 o'clock—W. H. Hamilton (Exr. ors ruling). Before Mr. Lonsfield, at 11 M. Tuacke, discharge ruling). Before ite, at 11 o'clock—Anne Steele (£ 507) o'clock—Mary B. Molloy (£ 598) (Bar- ch.

THE RAILWAY TRIBUNAL.—In the ber, City Hall, Dublin, at 11 o'clock— deration of the Great Southern Railways dified Conditions of Carriage to be in- Book of Passenger Train Traffic Rates-

RT CHUARDA (the Circuit Court).—Be- uit Judge, at Court No. 5, Dublin Castle, Civil Actions—Rankin v. Werner (with Civil Action—Ryan v. Donnelly; Ryan v. ham and Little v. Ryan; Donnelly v. mund Bennett and Co. v. Hosé Russell. sistant Circuit Judge, at (free) street, County and City of Dublin—Criminal

ATHOIR CONTAE (the County Registrar). ck—Automatic Coil Winder v. Scientific ors, tax costs.

ESCAPADE IN FATHER'S TROUSERS.

n-year-old girl, who was placed on at Middlesbrough yesterday for stated to have run away from her Stanley, North Durham, several the last occasion that she went her father's trousers because her es were locked up. She was found an wandering in a Middlesbrough given a night's lodging. The next d vanished with one of the woman's

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DUBLIN, A CITY OF CONTRASTS.

WORK OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY.

APPEAL FOR POOR AND NEEDY.

A public meeting was held last evening in the Mansion House, Dublin, for the purpose of supporting the appeal of the St. Vincent de Paul Society for funds with which to relieve the urgent needs of the poor and the unemployed in the city and suburbs.

The Right Rev. Monsignor Dunne, P.P., who presided, expressed regret at the absence of the Archbishop of Dublin (the Most Rev. Dr. Byrne), who, he said, always gave substantial support to the Society. He also expressed the Society's grief at the death of Cardinal O'Donnell, one of its warmest friends.

Judge O'Brien, K.C., announced a donation of £500 from a gentleman who desired to be anonymous. Two other anonymous donors sent cheques for £100 and £25. Others who sent letters and cheques were Mr. Justice Sullivan (£5), Lord Longford (£10), and Mr. A. O'Shaughnessy (£20).

A letter was received from the Rev. Dr. Denham Osborne, in which he thanked the Society for the valuable assistance its members had given him in ascertaining cases of distress in the poor of his communion.

THE PROVOST.

The Provost of Trinity College (Mr. E. J. Gwynn, M.A.) moved:—"That the Society of St. Vincent de Paul is worthy of support." He said that in what he was going to say there would be nothing new. It was not so long since in that house there was a meeting to express the feelings of the citizens about their city. The Civic Week was the expression of the pride and satisfaction that they felt in their great and beautiful city.

Dublin was a city of contrasts. It was a city of splendour and beauty; but it had another side, the seamy side, and it was of that side that he asked the meeting to think. In going through the city one met great houses like Tyrone House, Aldborough House, and other mansions that were built in the eighteenth century, but between those fine mansions there lay back-street slums where the town's blood festered. That was one of the contrasts that Dublin presented to them—a contrast not only of brick and mortar, but of human types.

Coming down to Trinity College every morning he tried to enter its gates without sacrificing his life in the rush of motor cars. It was on those occasions his privilege to stand beside a magnificent specimen of Irish manhood who controlled the traffic in that neighbourhood. He passed through other parts of the city, and he came across types of humanity which hardly seemed to belong to the same race as the magnificent policeman.

CHILDREN OF THE SLUMS.

He felt in these districts like Gulliver in the land of Lilliput. He found poor people deformed and twisted from their birth. They seemed to have been wrongly nurtured. When one looked at the children one realised more acutely how wrong those conditions were, and how much misery and unhappiness and disease they were surrounded with.

The children of the Dublin slums were a sad sight to anyone who looked at them, and tried to see what was behind it all. They too often suffered from skin diseases, tuberculosis and other diseases that haunted insanitary dwellings. The root of those troubles lay in their conditions of life. Perhaps, in order to reach the root of them one must look for action on the part of the State. The conditions were deplorable and shameful.

He believed that we were on the way to better things. There were in control of the city men who had a real sense of what was needed, and had set about improving these conditions—(Hear, hear)—but it would take a long time before the Commissioners could effect a radical cure, and less than a radical cure they should never accept. (Hear, hear.)

He was speaking of the chronic conditions which the members of the St. Vincent de Paul Society knew only too well. It was a state of things that they could not tolerate indefinitely. The distress of the chronic maladies to which he had alluded had become acute. The unemployment which had prevailed for the last few years, in addition to the bad housing conditions and the lack of food, had made the children less able to resist the various diseases that afflicted them.

A DANGER.

Those were some of the outstanding features of the state of things which the Society of St. Vincent de Paul had to combat. How were they to be combated? There was danger that because they were so well used to those evils they would accept them as one accepted anything with which he was familiar. That was the state of things that the Society was fighting against, and, he hoped, would successfully fight against. (Hear, hear.)

He thought that the State could do much to improve matters, but it should not be left to the State altogether. The State had done a great deal in the way of insurance schemes, pension schemes, and housing, but there still remained a field for private effort. He had nothing to say against an individual's private charity, but a Society like the St. Vincent de Paul Society did far more good than charity confined to private persons was likely to do.

The individual could not give the necessary time and attention to the cases that came before him. He might give help in the wrong way, and whatever he gave was sporadic, and not the permanent help that was really needed.

A GOOD PRINCIPLE.

The advantage of a Society like the St. Vincent de Paul Society was that it was organised and permanent, and that there was less possible waste of the aid that was supplied. The Society made a point of giving aid chiefly to persons whose condition there was some hope of permanently improving. That was a good principle to go on.

When a man felt that he could count on receiving relief regularly from the Society hope re-awakened in him. The Society asked for something where it gave something. It sought to elicit a certain effort from the person relieved. The man who was wholly dependent on charity was apt to lose his self-respect, but if the recipient of relief was asked to make some effort, they appealed to his self-respect, and when his self-respect asserted itself a permanent good was done him, and he was restored to his position in society.

It was, above all, very important that the children should be cared for. If the children were allowed to grow up in squalor and disease, one could never hope to make healthy citizens of them.

"Give the children a fair chance in life," he said, "and you will have done the most that you can hope to do with the funds at your disposal." (Applause.)

THE RIGHT SPIRIT.

Mr. Hugh Law, T.D., seconded the motion. Every one, he said, spoke well of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul. Of every other institution that he knew there was something unfavourable to be said. Members of the St. Vincent de Paul Society were doing what everybody felt he should be doing. There was nothing more painful than the experience of those who met persons with a long tale of woe, which might or might not be true. In such circumstances, no matter what one did, one was dissatisfied. One might feel that he was being fooled, or that the person appealing was the one deserving case among many.

They knew that the help given by that Society was given with knowledge, power and continuity. They knew that it would be adequate to the need; that it would be varied according to the variety of the need; and that it was not given from the rich to the poor, like the professional philanthropist to the masses. The relief given was warm and human. It was given in the spirit of Him, who not only took upon Himself our humanity, but shared our sorrows.

BONDS OF SYMPATHY.

Mr. A. O'Shaughnessy supported the motion. He said that there was nothing more desirable than to see a bond of sympathy between all classes of the community. We were now turning over a new leaf, and he hoped that the bond of sympathy, especially between those who were blessed with the world's goods, and those in dire need, would be permanently established.

He had some knowledge of the amount of poverty which existed in the country, and it passed his comprehension how some of the people kept body and soul together. In all countries, under all conditions, they would have the poor, but the present conditions were abnormal. They had passed through very trying times, and he would ask the public to give a little more generously on that account. It might be the last time that such a pressing need would be put before them.

"In my opinion," he said, "we are on the eve of prosperity in this country. The need of the hour for our people is employment. It would be immensely better for the people of this city to do something in the way of giving work to people who want employment than to be doling out charity.

"The first thing that the people can do is to support the products of our own country. If we do that, using any other means at our disposal for creating, preserving or improving the industries and the production of this country, there will be very little need for appeals such as we are making now."

They were called together to learn the luxury of doing good, and the more they gave in charity, the more they would have to leave.

The motion was adopted.

HARD CASES.

Lord Ffrench, in proposing that a subscription list be opened for the St. Vincent de Paul Society, said that one reason why they should subscribe was that it was not a specialised charity. There was no deserving case that it would not help. In the St. Vincent de Paul Society they had a voluntary organisation which investigated every case that was brought before it. There was a very large proportion of the poor of Dublin who were really deserving of relief. They often forgot that—the terrible insecurity of the poor. He asked them to think of the casual labourer, who became unemployed because the works had closed down, or for some other reason. That was an awful family calamity. It meant that the labourer was never sure of his job, and would have to wait until something else turned up.

They would be told that such men drank and did various other things, and someone wrote a play in which they were shown to be absolute wasters. This was a lie, but it was one of those things which consoled rich people.

The amount subscribed in Dublin did not seem a large one considering the conditions of poverty which prevailed. There were individuals who subscribed fairly large amounts, but there must be large numbers who subscribed nothing. He hoped the appeal would stir up not only the poor, but also those with the world's goods, and that it would do good to both parties.

THE TIME TO GIVE.

Mr. Charles Bewley, K.C., seconding the motion, declared that Dublin was one of the most charitable towns in the world. He did not think that any genuine charity ever made an appeal that did not receive its full reward. They were now reminding the public that this was the time when that charity should be supported. It was the duty of the people to give now. There was another reason why at present they should make that appeal. This was one of the times of stress which neither individuals nor Governments could prevent.

Individuals could do something to alleviate such conditions, and on the individual devolved the duty of charity. That Society should appeal to every one because its field was such a wide one.

Mr. Hugh Kennedy also supported the motion, which was passed.

Judge O'Brien expressed the thanks of the Society for the assistance given by the Press.

The Chairman brought the meeting to a close by an expression of thanks to the various speakers.

ROYAL SOCIETY OF ANTIQUARIES.

ELECTION OF NEW MEMBERS.

At a meeting of the Royal Society of Antiquaries of Ireland, held last night at 63 Merrion square, Dublin, Mr. Peter Kearney was elected a Fellow of the Society, and the following were elected as members:—Miss Cunningham, Trinity Hall; Mr. Patrick Hogan, Blackrock; Miss Alice Johnston, Rathowen; the Rev. Thomas Kilfeen, Mullennay; Mr. J. St. J. Lyburn, Mr. Jeremiah Purcell, Clonmel; Miss E. O'Farrell, Clontarf; Miss T. O'Farrell, Rutland square, Dublin; Mr. E. R. Richards-Orpen and Mrs. M. Richards-Orpen, Leeson Park, Dublin; Mr C. W. Wall, Palmerston road, Dublin; Miss Elizabeth Yeats, Blundrum; Lieutenant-Colonel W. T. Murray, Rathowen; the Rev. C. Stackebury, S.J., and Miss M. Morrissey, Glasnevin.

Professor R. A. S. Macalister, President, showed photographs of a bronze buckle found at Ballymena. This buckle is in the Yorkshire Museum, and forms part of a very good collection of Irish antiquities. It appears to belong to the 17th or 15th century, and is of a type associated more usually with Scotland than with Ireland.

Major Bryan Cooper showed two books of drawings, rubbings and water colours of antiquities in County Sligo and Inishmurray. They were executed for Major Cooper's grandfather by W. F. Wakeham between the years 1878 and 1882. The books are to be on loan to the Society for the next fortnight, and can be seen by members in the library at 63 Merrion square.

Professor Macalister then gave a lecture, illustrated by lantern slides, on the high crosses of Ireland, tracing their connection with the Northumbrian school of art. Slides were shown of the crosses at Monasterboice and Mullaghmast, the graveyard at Kells, Drumcliff, County Sligo; Clonmacnoise, Tuam, and Cong. Referring to the ring on these crosses, Professor Macalister said that he believed it to be an attempt to represent a halo round the centre figure in the cross, and that it had no connection with the sun wheels. There was, he said, a long gap between the time when the sun wheel appeared on pagan monuments and its appearance on the Christian monuments.

Votes of thanks were passed to Major Cooper for the loan of the Sligo drawings, and to Professor Macalister for his interesting lecture.

BAD THRESHING ACCIDENT.

A labourer named Holohan, of Upper Patrick street, Kilkenny, lies in the County Infirmary suffering from serious injuries received while engaged at threshing operations near Kilkenny city. He jumped from a rick of straw on to a hayfork that was stuck in the ground, and the handle entered his body.

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GREYHOUNDS PAINTED.

ADMISSIONS IN A KERRY ACTION.

At Tralee Judge McElligott, K.C., gave a decree for fifteen guineas against James Savage, Lerrig, at the suit of Patrick O'Connell, Heirhill, Ballyhaigue, for the trover and conversion of a greyhound.

The plaintiff's case was that the defendant came to his house to sell the dog to him, and some time later the dog was stolen and sold to the defendant by a boy named Barton.

James Savage said that he bought the dog from a boy who gave his name as Clery, of Clandries. He now recognised Barton as the boy who sold him the dog.

In reply to Mr. O'Donnell, for the plaintiff, the defendant admitted having been "warned off" for attempting to run as "Mountain Stage" a dog called "Priory Park," and further admitted painting dogs by "rubbing a bit of dye to their pusses."

SPECTRE OF PLAGUE IN BALLAGHADEREEN.

POLLUTED WATER AND BAD SEWERAGE.

"Some of the dead in Ballaghadereen Cemetery might as well be buried at sea," said the Rev. P. J. Roughneen, Adm., presiding at a largely-attended meeting in St. Mary's Hall, Ballaghadereen, at which resolutions were adopted calling upon the Roscommon County Board of Health to devote prompt and proper attention to the sanitary requirements of the district.

Father Roughneen referred to a recent sermon by the Most Rev. Dr. Morrisroe, Bishop of the Diocese, in which his lordship declared that the way in which the majority of their cemeteries were kept was no credit to them. In addition to that, said the Chairman, the approaches to the town were being closed up gradually with refuse heaps, some of the principal offenders being the servants of the County Council. The sewerage of the town was in a deplorable condition. The footpaths had not been repaired for years and rough foundation stones were showing on the surface.

Dr. J. Coen, medical officer for the district, said that two years ago he made a detailed report on the sanitary conditions of the town; first to the Board of Health and later to the Local Government Department. In both cases the report was relegated to the waste paper basket. He had recommended that the cemetery in the town should be closed forthwith; and had stated that the sewerage system was inadequate, and that in certain streets the inhabitants were living side by side with a potential plague.

AN APT SIMILE.

The Rev. F. O'Connor compared the taking over of the administration of Ballaghadereen by the Roscommon County Board of Health to a young man seeking a lady with a good fortune. When the young man got the lady he liked her money, but he did not care for the bride. Half the year they were left without water and the other half with the polluted solution they boiled from surface wells.

Mr. James Dillon, son of the late Mr. John Dillon, said that while he agreed with everything stated, it would be fitting that people paid more attention to their plots in the local cemetery.

Mr. T. B. Doyle said that failing action being taken by Roscommon County Board of Health, an Act of the Dail should be sought for reincorporating Ballyhadereen with Mayo.

Mr. P. J. Waters, a member of the Roscommon County Board of Health, said that the Board could not visit every town in Roscommon to see if contracted works had been finished; they left that to their engineers. The Ministry for Local Government were a lot to blame for holding up work passed by the Board of Health.

The resolutions were passed unanimously.

SEQUEL TO INQUIRY.

BALLYCASTLE COUNCIL AND TOWN SURVEYOR.

At Ballycastle (Antrim) Urban Council meeting a letter was read from the Northern Ministry of Home Affairs with reference to an inquiry held recently regarding the manner in which the Town Surveyor (Mr. T. J. O'Neill, C.E.) carried out his duties in the construction of a new reservoir. The Ministry stated that they saw no reason to alter the views expressed in their report of the inquiry. However, having regard to the relationship that existed between the Council and their Surveyor, and the Surveyor's present state of health, it was clear that it would not be in the interests of the ratepayers of the town that Mr. O'Neill should retain the office of surveyor. The Council should formally ask for his resignation. In the event of Mr. O'Neill declining to resign, the Ministry would raise no objection to his removal from office.

The Chairman (Mr. William H. Belford, J.P.) proposed that Mr. O'Neill be asked to resign on or before November 1. Mr. O'Connor seconded.

Proposing an amendment to the effect that Mr. O'Neill should not be requested to resign, Mr. McMichael drew attention to a paragraph in the Ministry's report, which stated that, on the whole, the Ministry felt that there was nothing in the circumstances which would justify such a drastic step as removing Mr. O'Neill from office.

He produced a copy of a medical certificate showing that Mr. O'Neill's state of health was such that he could efficiently carry out his duties.

The motion was carried by six votes against five.

RAN IN FRONT OF CAR.

DUBLIN SCHOOLGIRL'S DEATH FROM INJURIES.

A verdict of "Accidental Death" was returned at an inquest in Sir Patrick Dun's Hospital, Dublin, yesterday, on Joan Kelly, a schoolgirl, aged seven years, of 15 M'Guinness's square, Dublin, who was knocked down by a motor car in Westland row on Monday evening, and died as a result of her injuries shortly afterwards in the hospital.

John Tunney stated that he was seated in a motor car driven by Donald Magee. As the car passed under the railway bridge at Westland row a child ran in front of it. The driver applied his brakes, and pulled up in the length of the car, which was travelling at about ten miles an hour.

An eye-witness stated that the driver did very well in pulling up as he did.

The jury exonerated the driver, and recommended the parents of the dead girl to the kind consideration of the owner of the car.

Mr. Donald Magee, the driver of the car, was brought before Mr. Collins in the Dublin District Court yesterday, charged with causing the death of the child. After hearing the evidence, the Justice refused informations, and imposed a fine on Magee of 3s. 6d. for not having a motor driver's licence.

TYRONE POSTMAN'S DEATH.

"Death by drowning" was the verdict returned at the inquest which was held at Dungannon yesterday on the body of William Farrell (45), a widower, of Linfield street, who had been employed as a postman, and whose body was recovered from a disused quarry at Drumeco, near Dungannon, last Monday. The jury expressed the belief that the deceased man was suffering from temporary insanity. They tendered their sympathy to the relatives, and recommended them to the sympathetic consideration of the Army authorities.

District Inspector Miller and the Coroner joined in the expression of sympathy, the latter stating that the war was the remote cause of the tragedy.

NO ACCOMMODATION FOR FEVER NURSES.

The Master reported to Enniskillen Guardians that when there were temporary fever nurses in the hospital there was no place for them to sleep, and they slept in the body of the house, to which there was grave objection. Last year one of those nurses contracted typhoid, and she died. They remembered the epidemic that they had in the workhouse, and what it cost the Board.

It was decided to provide a room.

FAMOUS SCHOOL OF ORATORY.

ORIGIN OF THE COLLEGE HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

NAMES OF GREAT MEN RECALLED.

In view of the opening meeting of the 158th Session of the College Historical Society, in Trinity College to-night, some facts in connection with the history of the Society will be of interest.

The Society, which was founded by thirteen students on March 21, 1770, sprung, it is said, from one or two other Societies: The "Club," which was founded by Edmund Burke on April 21, 1747, and the "Historical Club," which was founded on October 24, 1763, of which Grattan, Flood, Scott (afterwards Earl of Clonmell), and Yelverton (afterwards Baron Avonmore) are said to have been members.

GRATTAN'S PARLIAMENT.

The College Historical Society made steady progress during the early years of its existence, and soon became famous as a school of oratory. In the days of Grattan's Parliament a gallery in the Irish House of Commons was set apart for the students of the University, "where they might imbibe a love of eloquence and of liberty, and learn the principles of a just and proud ambition, the details of public business, and the rudiments of constitutional law."

From 1779 onwards many of the debates partook of the spirit of political excitement existing at the time. On November 3, 1779, the question: "Whether America was justifiable in her secession from Great Britain?" was decided in the affirmative. In the following month the question was debated: "Whether an Union with Great Britain would be of advantage to Ireland?" and this was decided in the negative.

The privilege of admission to the House of Commons was forfeited in 1793, when, on the conclusion of Grattan's speech denouncing the Government for recalling Earl Fitzwilliam, the students broke into tumultuous applause. The gallery was at once cleared, and the students were never again admitted.

THE OFFICE OF AUDITOR.

The office of Auditor originated, as far as is known, in the College Historical Society. On April 24, 1771, a resolution was passed "that an officer be appointed, who shall have the inspection of the records, journals, and accounts, together with a general control of the several officers of the Society committed to his care." In the first code of laws it was laid down that "The office of Auditor shall be considered as a mark of the regard of this Society, and it is hereby enacted that those members only shall be elected to this office whose merits shall stand in the highest degree of estimation."

It would be impossible in the space available to give even a brief outline of the history of the Society during its existence; but a few interesting happenings in its earlier years deserve mention. The activities of the Society were not confined to the cultivation of history, composition and oratory.

For several sessions subscriptions were raised for the relief of the Dublin poor, and in the journals the following entries are to be found: "To ye widow English, 5s. 5d."; "To George Webb, 1s. per week in bread"; "To the prisoners in the Four Courts Marshalsea, 11s. 4½d."; "To distribute five guineas amongst the poor prisoners."

STUDENT'S FLIGHT IN BALLOON.

In 1784 the Society laid a case before John Fitzgibbon, afterwards Earl of Clare, which resulted in votes being secured for the students who had chambers in College. In 1785 the journals record a motion "that a medal be presented to Sir Richard Maguire for his late intrepid conduct." This had reference to the first balloon ascent in Ireland, which was accomplished by Richard Maguire (a student) from Ranelagh Gardens. The Duke of Rutland, the then Lord Lieutenant, was so pleased that he knighted Maguire the following day.

Twice during its existence the Society was "exiled" from College. The first time was in 1794, owing to a dispute with the authorities regarding the presence at a meeting of an old member who had been forbidden to enter the College. The second occasion was in 1815, when regulations made by the Board were, in the opinion of the Society, "inconsistent with the successful prosecution of the objects for which it was instituted."

Between 1815 and 1843 the Society held its meetings in various places—the Rotunda, the Dorset Institution, College Green, and in premises in Marlborough street and Great Brunswick street. In 1843 the Society was reformed inside the College. The debates were first held in the Dining Hall, then in the Examination Hall, then in the Regent House, and since 1904 in the Graduates' Memorial Buildings, where the Society is now installed.

FAMOUS MEN.

Some of the famous names on the Society's roll of membership include Laurence Parsons, afterwards Earl of Rosse, who sat in the Irish House of Commons at the time he was elected Auditor; Theobald Wolfe Tone, leader of the "United Irishmen," who wrote: "As it was, however, I obtained a scholarship, three premiums, and three medals from the Historical Society, a most admirable institution, of which I had the honour to be Auditor, and also to close the session with a speech from the chair, the highest compliment which that Society is used to bestow. I look back on my college days with regret, and I preserve, and ever shall, a most sincere affection for the University of Dublin." Peter Burrowes, Christopher Temple Emmet, William Conyngham Plunket, one of the greatest orators of his day; Charles Kendal Bushe, of whom Grattan, having heard him in the Society, said that he "spoke with the lips of an angel"; Thomas Addis Emmet, Robert Emmet, John Anster, the translator of "Faust"; Thomas Moore, Magee, afterwards Archbishop of Dublin; Thomas Langlois Lefroy, afterwards Lord Chief Justice; Richard Lalor Sheil, Charles Wolfe, author of the "Lines on the Burial of Sir John Moore"; William Hamilton Maxwell; Thomas Osborne Davis and John Blake Dillon, founders, with Charles Gavan Duffy, of the "Young Ireland" movement; Joseph Sheridan Le Fanu, poet and novelist; William Connor Magee, afterwards Archbishop of York; Isaac Butt, founder of the "Home Rule" Party in the British House of Commons; Edward Gibson, created Baron Ashbourne; John Kells Ingram, author of "Who fears to speak of '98?"; David Robert Plunket, created Baron Rathmore, who had the reputation in his day of being the greatest orator in the British House of Commons; Standish O'Grady, William Edward Hartpole Lecky, historian; Gerald FitzGibbon, afterwards Lord Justice of Appeal.

Among those still living might be mentioned the Right Hon. Sir John Ross, the last Lord Chancellor of Ireland; the present President, Lord Glenavy, Chairman of the Senate of Dail Eireann; Dr. Douglas Hyde and Lord Carson.

At first no student below the standing of Senior Sophister was eligible for membership. In 1780 Junior Sophisters were admitted, but it was not until 1820 that the Society was opened to Freshmen.

During the European War the activities of the Society were almost entirely suspended. Seven hundred and fourteen past and present members served with His Majesty's Forces; 110 decorations were won, and 139 members made the supreme sacrifice.

Owing to the absence of the majority of its members at the war, the finances of the Society fell into very low water; but, thanks to a succession of careful and efficient officers since 1919, the raising of the annual subscription, and the use of stringent economy, the Society is again solvent, its membership roll flourishing, its debates well attended, and all its activities once more in full swing.

THE CLOGHER VALLEY RAILWAY.

The Northern Ministry of Commerce wrote to the Tyrone County Council stating that it was expected that the Committee's report on the working of the Clogher Valley Railway would be ready for publication in a few weeks.

COMBINED PURCHASING.

The Free State Minister for Local Government and Public Health has approved of the appointment of Mr. J. C. Foley, F.A.A., 5 Fernhurst avenue, Cork, to be a member of the Local Supplies Advisory Committee established under the Local Authorities (Combined Purchasing) Act, in room of Mr. Edward MacArdle, Drogheda, who has resigned his membership of the Committee.

THE LATE CARDINAL O'DONNELL.

LYING-IN-STATE AT ARMAGH.

Thousands of people, among them many Protestants, yesterday visited the Roman Catholic Cathedral, Armagh, where the remains of Cardinal O'Donnell lie in state.

In St. Patrick's Cathedral, Dundalk, yesterday morning Requiem Mass for the repose of the Cardinal's soul was celebrated. The high altar was draped in black. There was a very large congregation, which included representatives of various public bodies and of the Free State Army.

The Rev. W. Butterley, C.C., was the celebrant of the Mass, the Rev. J. F. Stokes, C.C., deacon; the Rev. Father Downey subdeacon, and the Rev. Charles Hurson, Adm., was master of ceremonies.

REQUIEM MASS AT THE CURRAGH.

At the express wish of Major-General Sweeney, G.O.C. for the district, a solemn Requiem Mass for the late Cardinal O'Donnell will be celebrated in the military church, Curragh Camp, to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

THE PRIMATE'S MESSAGE.

The Primate of All Ireland (Most Rev. Dr. D'Arcy) has sent the following message:—

"Archbishop D'Arcy expresses his deep regret at the death of Cardinal O'Donnell, and desires that his most sincere sympathy shall be conveyed to the Cardinal's relatives in their great sorrow."

SYMPATHY OF PUBLIC BODIES.

At the first ordinary general meeting of the Irish Public Bodies Mutual Insurances, Ltd., at 15 Parnell square, Dublin, yesterday, Senator P. W. Kenny, Chairman of the Board of Directors, proposed the following resolution:—

"That the representatives of Irish local authorities assembled at the first ordinary meeting of Irish Public Bodies Mutual Insurances, Ltd., desire to join in the universal expression of profound regret at the death of His Eminence Cardinal O'Donnell, Primate of All-Ireland, and to record our sense of the irreparable loss sustained by the Hierarchy and the people of Ireland. We also desire to tender to the relatives of the late Cardinal our deepest sympathy in their bereavement."

Mr. J. A. O'Neill, Chairman of Dublin County Council, seconded the resolution, and it was passed in silence.

The Chairman, Mr. M. J. Murphy, at the meeting of Kilkenny County Council on Monday evening, proposed:—

"That we, the members of the Kilkenny County Council, having learned with regret of the death of his Eminence Cardinal O'Donnell, desire to place on record our warm appreciation of his Eminence's distinguished services to Church and State, and beg to convey to his Lordship the Most Rev. Dr. Brownrigg, and to the Cardinal's relatives and friends, our deepest sympathy in their great bereavement."

Mr. Brophy seconded the resolution, and it was passed in silence, all members standing.

The Drogheda District Court yesterday was adjourned as a tribute to the memory of the late Cardinal O'Donnell. District Justice B. J. Goff said that the loss of their late beloved Cardinal would be a serious one to the Church in Ireland, and to the nation as a whole. He tendered the sympathy of the Court to the Dean of Armagh as representing the clergy and people, and also to Dr. O'Donnell, of Merrion square, Dublin, as the late Cardinal's principal relative.

Mr. P. Tallan, on behalf of the solicitors' profession, also expressed regret at the Cardinal's death.

The Drogheda Harbour Commissioners yesterday adjourned their fortnightly meeting, and on the motion of the Chairman, Mr. P. B. Moore, seconded by Mr. A. W. Archer, passed a resolution of regret at the death of the Cardinal.

Dundalk Burial Board and Dundalk Harbour Board yesterday adjourned their meetings out of respect to the late Cardinal.

At the Harbour Board the Chairman (Mr. William Twibill, a non-Catholic) said that the death of Cardinal O'Donnell was a national calamity, as he was convinced that if his Eminence had been spared for some more years he would have done immense work in bringing the peoples of North and South together.

The Wicklow County Board of Health, the County Wicklow Joint Techn

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NOTICE.

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PUBLIC NOTICES.

REGISTRATION OF CLUBS ACT (IRELAND), 1904.

Take notice, it is my intention to apply for a renewal of the Certificate of Registration of the Rathfarnham Golf Club at the District Court.

R. B. MAUNSELL-EYRE, Secretary

I, MICHAEL JOHN GATELY, Intend to Apply for Renewal of Bookmaker's Licence for 40 GLOUCESTER PLACE

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WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference.—A deep depression remains centred to the South of Iceland, while another is developing between the Faeroes and Norway. Associated secondaries will move north-eastwards across the north-western part of the British Isles, and maintain mild and unsettled weather, with rain or drizzle at times in all districts.

Ireland, all Districts.—Wind south-westerly, moderate to strong, stronger at times locally; cloudy; local rain or drizzle at times; very mild.

South-West Seaboard, Mouth of Channel to South-West Ireland, Irish Seaboard and St. George's Channel, North-West Seaboard, Northern Ireland to Hebrides.—South-Westerly winds, approaching a gale at times; cloudy; local drizzle and mist; sea rough in places.

Dixon and Hempenstall Barometers and Thermometers. 12 Suffolk street, Dublin.—(Advt.)

DUBLIN WEATHER REPORT.

Oct.	Bar.	Thermometer. Temp. 9 p.m.	Max.	Min.	Grass Min.	Wind.	Rain. m.m.	Sun hours
20	30.169	42.0	50	37	30	—	—	2.9
21	29.630	53.3	54	41	37	—	0.4	—
22	29.382	49.7	53	45	39	N.E.	37.3	—
23	29.79.	49.1	75	46	38	S.W.	0.6	1.8
24	29.624	51.0	62	39	32	S.W.	Trace	0.8
25	29.548	52.3	67	50	44	S.W.	Trace	2.7

THE SUN.
To-day ... Rises .. 7.10 Sets 5. 7
To-morrow ... " .. 7.12 " 5. 5
Lighting-up Time 6. 7
HIGH WATER—DUBLIN.
To-day ... Morning 11.44 Afternoon 11.58
To-morrow ... " " 0.13

RECEIVING ORDER AGAINST LORD LOUGHBOROUGH.

The *London Gazette* announces that a receiving order, dated October 19th, 1927, under the Bankruptcy Acts, has been made against Lord Loughborough, of 23 Cork street, London, on creditors' petition. Lord Loughborough is the eldest son and heir of the Earl of Rosslyn.

The Irish Times.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 26, 1927.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

The Rev. W. R. W. Roberts, D.D., succeeds Dr. L. C. Purser, who has retired, as Vice-Provost of Trinity College, Dublin.—(Page 7.)

The proposal to abolish proportional representation formed the subject of a debate in the Northern Parliament yesterday afternoon.—(Pages 3 and 7.)

The Provost of Trinity College was among the speakers at a meeting in the Mansion House, Dublin, yesterday, in aid of the St. Vincent de Paul Society.—(Page 5.)

GREAT BRITAIN.

Mr. Churchill states that the bets tax in Great Britain will yield between £3,000,000 and £4,000,000. Certain changes may be made.—(Page 7.)

ABROAD.

Complete agreement on all points requiring readjustment in connection with the South African flag question was reached last evening.—(Page 7.)

SPORTING.

At Newmarket yesterday Farhad won the Criterion Stakes.—(Page 10.)

At Nottingham English Fare won the Colwick Handicap Hurdle.—(Page 10.)

FINANCIAL.

London Stock Markets were steady, with excited dealings in Marconis.—(Page 4.)

Lombard street was not well provided with funds, and there was a good demand for short loans at 3½ up to 4¼ per cent. Discount rates were firm.—(Page 4.)

The feature in Dublin was a "boomlet" in Marconis, which rose 3s. 10½d. to 36s. 1½d.—(Page 4.)

South Africa's Flag.

After a long and bitter controversy, which at one time seemed to threaten the whole fabric of South African union, a settlement has been reached concerning the national flag. During the last week General Hertzog has been conducting private negotiations with General Smuts, and the news of their final agreement was announced yesterday. The arrangement which they have reached must be ratified by their respective parties before it can receive the force of law; but there seems to be little doubt that it will be welcomed by everybody, with the possible exception of a few "die-hards" on the Nationalist side whose chief desire is to smash the British connection. Henceforward there will be two official flags in South Africa. One will be the Union Jack, "to denote the association of the Union with the group of nations that constitute the British Commonwealth," and the other the national flag, for which provision has been made in the much-discussed Flag Bill. In practice the two flags will be flown side by side in all the principal towns in the Union, while the Governor-General will make special regulations for the procedure on ships. Until the next Imperial Conference, however, the Union Jack will continue to be used by the South African merchant service. Both General Hertzog and General Smuts are to be congratulated on their agreement, which was made possible largely through the good offices of Mr. Tielman Roos, a prominent member of the Government. Despite the obstruction of an influential group, headed by Dr. Malan, Minister of the Interior, he brought the two leaders together.

The flag dispute in South Africa began last year, when General Hertzog announced that his party proposed to introduce legislation in the matter of a national flag, and said that South Africa no longer could be satisfied with the Union Jack. After the Imperial Conference the matter was dropped for the time being, and a reconciliation between the Nationalists and the South African Party seemed to be imminent. The extreme Nationalist group, however, would not hear of compromise. General Hertzog's hand was forced, with the result that the Flag Bill was introduced and all South Africa was plunged in a ferment of resurrected passions. The proposed flag was regarded by the pro-British element as an insult to the Empire. Its design was that of the House of Orange—stripes of orange, white and blue, with a small shield on the white stripe. One-quarter of this shield was to have been occupied by the flag of the Transvaal Republic, another by the flag of the Orange Free State, a third by the Union Jack, and the fourth by four stars, representing the provinces of the Union. The fact that the Union Jack would have occupied only about one-sixtieth of the total area of the flag gave deep offence to the British population. Labour, while nominally supporting the Government, was not at all happy about the proposal, and there is no doubt that, if General Hertzog had insisted on his original proposal—namely, to substitute the Union Jack by the new flag—a serious crisis would have arisen.

The settlement which has been reached by the two leaders ought to put an end to the whole controversy. Dutch sentiment will be appeased by the national flag, while the British people will have their Union Jack as a symbol of imperial solidarity. South Africa needs a truce from political strife more urgently than, perhaps, any other nation in the Commonwealth. It cannot afford the luxury of squabbles over symbols; for it is faced with very real problems. The white population is small in comparison with the great mass of natives, which is increasing at an alarming rate. This growing threat to the white man's domination is by far the most important issue in South Africa, and it cannot be met with any hope of success unless the whole white population is united. It is difficult for Western Europeans to realise the dangers of the native problem in South Africa. Cheap education has changed the whole situation since the Boer War, and to-day there is a strong movement among the more enlightened natives to assert their position in the Union. The leaders of the two great parties are fully alive to the perils of drift. General Hertzog and some of his immediate advisers have been anxious for many months to tackle the native problem seriously, but the frivolous attitude of their more extreme followers has prevented any progress. Now that the flag issue has been decided, we may hope that the Nationalists and the South African Party will find common ground for approach to a task that calls for the highest gifts of statesmanship. In their efforts to safeguard the lives and property of future generations they will have the sympathy and good wishes of the whole Empire.

Winter in the Slums.

Yesterday the St. Vincent de Paul Society convened a meeting of citizens at the Mansion House, Dublin, in order to consider means to relieve the distress of the poor during the winter that lies before us. The Provost of Trinity College, by describing a vivid, little personal impression, brought home the city's vital needs. To stand beside a stalwart Civic Guard and then to walk through the mean streets of Dublin, Mr. Gwynn said, was like a passing from Gulliver's land of giants to the land of Lilliput. It was difficult to believe that the same land produced such extremes of physical proportions as the Guard and the wizened people of the slums. The contrast, indeed, is the measure of the injury that hunger, cold and overcrowding have wrought on the physique of hundreds of thousands of Irish citizens. Children are rickety, tuberculous and scarred by skin disease. Maladies, fostered by foul conditions of life in youth, become chronic, and chronic unfitness to work efficiently and to enjoy economic security follows. Truly did Mr. Gwynn say that nothing less than a radical cure ought to be accepted. The slum-dwellers must be got into decent homes and must be enabled to secure steady employment. This cannot be achieved in a single season of charitable endeavour; it must be pursued by years of steady work and wise legislation. Some speakers at yesterday's conference expressed the opinion—which we believe to be justified—that our country has seen the worst of economic depression, and that some measure of revived prosperity is at hand. As Mr. A. O'Shaughnessy said, this may be the last occasion on which appeals so pressing will need to be made. If a revival of trade in the new year proves that the country at last has turned the corner of misfortune, many an artisan's family, now in dire trouble, will be happily independent once again, and the more fortunate classes will have larger resources from which to meet the demands upon their generosity. This year the maximum demand is made at a time of maximum stringency; but never was Irish charity invoked in vain. The magnificent response, a year ago, to appeals for funds to provide fuel for the poor was an obvious example of that charitable work which goes on every winter, more often in secrecy than in the light of public recognition. We are confident, therefore, that the St. Vincent de Paul Society will find an army of generous helpers ready to assist it in this winter's endeavour to carry our poorer brethren safely through to luckier times. All that the Society does is done systematically and in accordance with a sagacious policy of helping men towards definite economic recovery. The casual gift, though liberal, may be misplaced; but the carefully meted relief that enables an unemployed worker to maintain his health and respectability until he finds a fresh job is charity in its most effective form. Aid rightly applied, not merely alleviates the anguish of the moment: it contributes to that radical cure of the civic ills for which the Provost pleaded.

An Indian Canal.

To-day the Viceroy of India will open the main canal of the irrigation scheme that will convert the desert state of Bikaner in Northern India into a garden. To prevent loss of water by absorption and to avoid the waterlogging of the surrounding country, the canal, which is eighty-four miles long, has been lined throughout its length with concrete. According to the Simla Correspondent of *The Times*, over thirty-three million square feet of lining were employed in this great engineering work, and the technical problems which have been surmounted were formidable. It is regarded rightly as a triumph for the Irrigation Branch of the Punjab Public Works Department. This only is a part, however, of a project which may not be complete until 1934, and eventually will irrigate an area of some 14,000 square miles. The area extends for 350 miles down the valley of the Sutlej River in the Punjab, from the neighbourhood of Lahore to a point south-west of the junction of Punjab and Sind. The Sutlej is crossed by four massive weirs, and above them a series of canals branches off, four serving Punjab territory, one Bikaner, and six running into the State of Bahawalpur. Bahawalpur, a rainless and infertile area, at present is ruled by a Moslem prince of ancient lineage, but moderate wealth. The water that is being taken into his country probably will make him the second richest ruler in India. It is estimated that the Sutlej Valley scheme, which has cost £18,000,000, will add 1,700,000 acres to the irrigated area in the current year, and, in two years' time, upwards of 5,000,000 acres. This huge irrigation project should prevent the recurrence of the great famines that have desolated this part of India, and the general effect, in improving the condition of the country and the life of its people, will be incalculable. Future schemes in India are designed to dam the rivers in the Himalayan foothills before they emerge into the plains, and in this way to make irrigation independent of the seasons.

Detective Stories.

The immense popularity of mystery tales is itself one of the mysteries of our time. Not only "the general," but sages and statesmen, openly avow their delight in chronicles of super-criminals and master "crooks." Perhaps one explanation is that a world which has seen so much change and unsettlement is gratified by the invariable triumph of order. The true criminal in successful detective stories almost always is discovered, but in no case is the accused innocent allowed to suffer long. Thus the passion of the soul for even-handed justice, so often frustrated in ordinary life, is gratified. Probably, however, few connoisseurs in this kind of fiction trouble to analyse the source of their pleasure; it is enough that they are thrilled and amused. Mr. G. K. Chesterton confesses in an interview that he finds the writing of detective stories "great fun." He thinks that, in the ideal history of an unsolved crime, the author ought to share his readers' ignorance of the real perpetrator. "Detective stories are a sort of game to me, and I have often started out with one idea, and before I have finished I have made an entirely innocent bystander the guilty party." This method gives the practised reader a fair chance to anticipate the author's solution or to work out a more plausible solution for himself. It is not playing the game or giving the criminal "a fair crack of the whip" to make a detective have "intuitions" or to allow him to discover clues by telepathy. The Reverend Ronald Knox, who has attempted to formulate rules for proficiency in this department of literature, holds that the criminal ought to be somebody in the first five chapters. He rightly postulates also that not more than one secret passage ought to be introduced, and preferably none, and that complicated appliances ought not to be brought into play which need a long scientific explanation. It goes without saying, of course, that the detective must not commit the crime himself and that the story must not contain a mysterious Chinaman.

COURT AND PERSONAL.

The Court is placed in mourning by the death of the Queen's brother, the Marquis of Cambridge. It is officially announced that the funeral will take place on Saturday at St. George's Chapel, Windsor. Only members of the Royal Family, immediate relatives and personal friends will be present at the Service, at which Levée dress will be worn. On the same day and at the same hour (11.30 a.m.) a Memorial Service will be held in the Chapel Royal St. James's Palace.

Princess Mary has joined the King and Queen at Sandringham, where the Lord Chamberlain, the Earl of Cromer, arrived yesterday. Prince Henry arrived at Sandringham on Monday from Melton Mowbray. The Grand Duchess Xenia, the Princess Victoria, the Marquise D

RED LETTER DAY FOR SOUTH AFRICA.

FLAG QUESTION SETTLED.

UNION JACK TO BE FLOWN ON GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

CAPETOWN, Tuesday.

COMPLETE agreement on all points on the Flag Question requiring adjustment was reached at 5.45 this evening. The Prime Minister, General Hertzog, will make a statement in the House of Assembly to-morrow, and at the same time will lay on the table the official amendment reached at the settlement. Adjustments and alterations of wording were being made up to the last moment.

The final draft is as follows:

The flags of the Union shall be:—

1—The Union Jack, to denote the association of the Union with the group of nations constituting the British Commonwealth of Nations.

2—The National Flag, the design of which is set out in Section 8 of the Flag Bill.

The Union Jack shall be flown with the National Flag from the Houses of Parliament, the principal Government buildings in the capitals of the Union and the provinces, in ports, on Government offices abroad, and such other places in the Union as the Government may decide.

The Governor-General may, by regulation, fix the form in which the flags may be flown on ships on the high seas, or for special purposes and occasions.

The latter points mean that the Union Jack will continue to be flown on ships until a decision of an Imperial Conference to the contrary.

The final settlement was reached on the definite understanding that, as regards towns other than the capitals mentioned above, there would be no sudden change from the existing conditions. This means that the Union Jack will continue to be flown in such towns as Johannesburg, Kimberley and Grahamstown as at present.

STATESMANSHIP OF GENERAL SMUTS.

AGREEMENT TO "GREAT CONCESSIONS."

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

CAPE TOWN, Tuesday.

The great bulk of the public as yet hardly realise the significance of the settlement, but all those in close touch with Parliament pay very warm tributes to the statesmanship of General Hertzog, General Smuts, and Mr. Tielman Roos, who have steered their way to agreement through the greatest difficulties to-day.

This is especially true of General Smuts, who, naturally, had to take the initiative throughout, and carry his party with him in making great concessions.

The most critical time was the meeting of the South African Party caucus, at which unanimity was almost gained eventually among the members, including most of those from Natal.

SUGGESTED NEW FLAG.

The general feeling in the Lobby is that the settlement is along the lines of the suggestion of Mr. Tielman Roos, the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Justice, that the design should remain as at present—namely, three horizontal stripes or orange and blue, but that the shield should be dropped and replaced by the Union Jack and the Transvaal Vierkleur horizontally in the white stripe with the Orange Free State flag vertically between them, thus forming the shape of a cross in the centre of the white stripe.

Actually, according to this suggestion, the three flags would occupy less space than the shield.

A RED LETTER DAY.

A PEACE OF WHICH NO ONE NEED BE ASHAMED.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

CAPE TOWN, Tuesday.

Referring in a speech at Somerset Strand (Cape Province) this evening to the flag settlement, Dr. Malan, Minister of the Interior, declared that this was a red letter day in the history of South Africa.

"Shortly before I left Cape Town," he said, "the Premier told me that the matter was finally settled. Yesterday the Prime Minister and the leader of the Opposition arrived at the provisional agreement. This afternoon, I am informed, the provisional agreement was confirmed by the party caucuses.

"A peace has been made of which neither side need be ashamed. It is a peace to the honour of all political parties of South Africa."

Dr. Malan proclaimed that the Government would go out of its way to ensure that no section of feeling and sentiment was hurt, and declared that equal credit was due to all parties for what had been achieved. Both parties had made sacrifices.

He paid a tribute to the English-speaking population in South Africa for its efforts to prevent the flag struggle becoming a racial one. The day would come when every section would look upon the flag as South Africa's flag, and when they would no longer say that one portion belonged to one section and another to another section. "May that day come soon," he concluded.

TUNNEY'S GILT-EDGED PLANS.

A MULTI-MILLIONAIRE IN FIVE YEARS MORE.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

NEW YORK, Tuesday.

"I am always ready to take on the best man each year. Believe me, there will be no three years between the contests while I am champion," said Gene Tunney to-day, when he gave a reporter an outline of his plans for the future. According to this, Tunney, while he is champion, will have nothing to do with any work of a "title commercialising" nature, such as vaudeville exhibitions or film acting. He will, moreover, carefully shun matrimony until he retires from boxing a multi-millionaire at the age of 34.

Questioned as to his subsequent intentions, Tunney said that he would spend his remaining years away from the blaze of the prize-ring, but as to getting married—"if I am too old to fight at 34, I may also be too old to get married," said the champion. He added that by concentrating on keeping himself in the pink of condition he expects to retain the world's title for the remaining five years of his boxing life without much difficulty.

ANGRY WITH DEMPSEY.

Discussing his recent victory over Dempsey the champion admitted that he was not in such a calm mood as usual when he met his rival. Anger over what he called the "unsportsmanlike" tactics of Dempsey's open letter attack almost on the eve of the contest, and the fact that a "dear friend" of his stood to win £50,000 if he won by a knock-out, caused him to deviate from his customary cold attack.

"But even if my anger caused momentary lapses into carelessness, I could have got up after being dropped, no matter how quickly the referee had counted. However, it is immaterial to me what people say or write about my contests."

CHURCH'S FUTURE

DETERMINED BY PRESENT-DAY INFLUENCES.

In a foreword to the programme of the Liberal Evangelical Congress, to be held in Birmingham next month, the Bishop of Birmingham (Dr. Barnes) says:—No one can foresee the future of the Church of England, but it is plain that the future will largely be determined by the influences moulding it at the present time. There has never been more need than now for a thoughtful re-statement of that evangelical position, which had been since the Reformation and until recently the dominant tradition of the Church of England. If this tradition decays, there will be a disastrous breach between ourselves and the Free Churches, and I myself would prophesy a growing lack of harmony between modern culture and religion as represented by the Anglican communion.

CAPTURED BRITISH SUBJECT.

CONFIRMATION OF RELEASE.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

WASHINGTON, Tuesday.

Confirmation is now to hand of the report that Mr. W. E. Mitchell, a British subject, general manager of the Amajac Mining Corporation, has been released by the Mexican bandits who captured him. The bandits had demanded a ransom of £500 within five days, and threatened to shoot Mr. Mitchell if this were not paid.

Official intimation of Mr. Mitchell's release was received by the State Department yesterday from the United States Consul at Mazatlan (Mexico). Although the circumstances under which his deliverance was effected are not yet known, it is believed that the Amajac Mining Corporation paid the ransom demanded by Mr. Mitchell's captors.

CANADIAN APPLES AND POTATOES.

SMALLER CROPS THAN WAS EXPECTED.

OTTAWA, Tuesday.

The commercial apple crop for Canada is estimated on the basis of conditions on October 1st to amount to 2,720,800 barrels, or 92 per cent. of last year's crop, and 82 per cent. of the average annual crop for the past five years. This estimate shows a downward revision from earlier forecasts. All provinces, except Nova Scotia, show lighter yields, while the estimate for Nova Scotia points to only a slight increase there. The quality of the fruit is not superlatively good, and the proportion suitable for storage is likely to be below the average.

The Canadian potato crop is estimated at 45,495,000 cwt., or 93 per cent. of last year's crop, which is 3,000,000 cwt. less than the forecast on September 1st, as the result of blight in the Eastern and maritime provinces.

INSURANCE AGAINST HAIL.

CANADIAN FARMERS' CLAIMS.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

WINNIPEG, Tuesday.

Western farmers will receive this year an aggregate of 2½ million dollars in respect of hail and frost insurance claims, according to a statement issued by the Canadian Hail Underwriters Association.

Damage from hail is reported to have been light in Manitoba, somewhat heavier in Saskatchewan, and heaviest in Alberta.

This statement of losses sustained shows a material diminution as compared with earlier reports of hail damage, which were apparently grossly exaggerated.

NORTHERN IRELAND VOTING SYSTEM.

PROPOSED CHANGE MAY CAUSE RESIGNATIONS.

The proposed abolition of proportional representation by the Northern Government in parliamentary elections was debated in the Northern House of Commons yesterday on a notice of motion by Mr. Samuel Kyle, a Labour member, that before any steps were taken by the Government a Select Committee of the House should consider whether the Government had power to set aside the provisions of the 1920 Act, and, if so, to define the boundaries of the new constituencies.

Mr. Kyle expressed the belief that the whole idea was to get rid of the Independent members. The only way, he said, that the minority could obtain representation in the Parliament was by proportional representation, and he suggested that the Government were now about to jerrymander the parliamentary constituencies for party purposes, just as they had done in the case of Local Government bodies.

DIRECT VOTING.

The Prime Minister (Lord Craigavon) asked the House to reject the motion, and denied that he or any other members of the Government were moved by the hopes of a party triumph. He was associated with the question of proportional representation for many years, and held that direct voting was the most British, and the people in the North of Ireland, he said, were British.

He believed that, if it had been anticipated when the Act of 1920 was being prepared that Southern Ireland would have refused to honour it, proportional representation would never have been imposed on Northern Ireland. The Prime Minister added that under the old system they would get men for or against the Union.

MR. DEVLIN'S VIEW.

Mr. Joseph Devlin (Nationalist) supported Mr. Kyle's motion, and twitted the Prime Minister with having threatened to rebel when the British Government, about whose prestige and glory he showed so much concern now, wanted to put the Home Rule Act into operation. He denounced the abolition of proportional representation as a mean and contemptible attempt to rob the minority of a safeguard given them in the Act of 1920, and said that, if there was to be any more political jerrymandering of the constituencies, he would not remain in the Parliament for twenty-four hours.

Mr. Thomas Henderson (Independent) said that, unless the Prime Minister was more fair to the Independent members, he would seriously consider whether he would remain a member of the House.

The debate (which is reported on page 3) will be resumed to-day.

LATE MARQUESS OF CAMBRIDGE.

THE KING AND QUEEN'S SORROW.

Last night's *Court Circular* from Sandringham contains the following:—

"The King and Queen received with great sorrow last evening the news of the sudden death of the Marquess of Cambridge. Her Majesty's beloved brother."

The arrangements for the funeral of the Marquess were completed yesterday. It will take place at St. George's Chapel, Windsor, on Saturday next at 11.30 a.m. Levée dress will be worn. The Service will be confined to members of the Royal Family, immediate relatives, and personal friends. It is requested that all wreaths shall be sent to the Inspector, Windsor Castle.

A Memorial Service will be held in the Chapel Royal, St. James's Palace, on the same day and at the same hour. No special tickets will be required for this Service; morning dress will be worn.

The proclamation of Court mourning for the Marquess of Cambridge does not necessarily mean that members of the Royal Family will cancel their engagements during the whole period of mourning, but some engagements which may clash with the probable funeral date this week will be cancelled.

LORD BERKELEY AND HIS FOXHOUNDS.

CANNOT AFFORD TO CONTINUE PACK.

The Earl of Berkeley, of Berkeley Castle, Gloucestershire, presiding at his estate rent dinner yesterday, said that he could not afford to continue the Berkeley Foxhounds any longer. The pack has been run under the mastership of Lords of Berkeley for centuries, and at one time hunted the country from Berkeley Castle, in Gloucestershire, to Berkeley square, in London.

It was stated that the hounds would probably be run as a subscription pack in future, and Lord Berkeley, who will hold the mastership till the end of the season, appealed to the tenantry to support the new management.

Lord Berkeley, who succeeded to the title in 1888, was adjudged by the Committee for Privileges of the House of Lords to be 8th Earl of Berkeley in 1891, the title having been at the same time claimed unsuccessfully by the second Baron Fitzhardinge.

RADIO EXPERIMENTS WITH AMERICA.

TOO MANY STATIONS IN EUROPE.

Captain P. P. Eckersley, Chief Engineer of the British Broadcasting Corporation, landed at Plymouth yesterday. He went to America to attend the Radio Conference at Washington, and in New York met Dr. Goldsmith, Chief Engineer of the Radio Corporation of America. They have arranged to co-operate on experiments to link up the two countries by means of short wave stations in England and America.

"We are going to do a lot of experimental work," said Captain Eckersley, "and special receiving stations will be established both in this country and America for the purpose. We shall start the experiments at once."

He said that there were too many stations in Europe, and the Daventry Experimental Station was the beginning of schemes to use fewer stations and higher power.

TRINITY COLLEGE, DUBLIN.

THE NEW VICE-PROVOST.

RETIREMENT OF DR. L. C. PURSER.

At the last meeting of the Board of Trinity College, Dublin, the following change of officers was made:—

The Rev. W. R. W. Roberts, D.D., to be Vice-Provost, in succession to Dr. L. C. Purser, who has retired, and Dr. W. A. Goligher to be Senior Proctor.

Dr. Louis Claude Purser was elected a Classical Scholar of Trinity College, Dublin, in 1873, Fellow in 1881, Professor of Latin in 1898, and Vice-Provost in 1924. His retirement, which is announced officially to-day, means not only the departure of a loved and distinguished figure from Trinity College: it marks the end of an epoch in Irish scholarship. Sixty years ago the classical learning of these islands was beginning to shake off a long spell of lethargy, and its revival, which has produced such brilliant results, owed a large debt to Dublin. During the thirty years between 1860 and 1890 Trinity College gave to classical scholarship a world-famous band of critics, historians, philologists and archæologists. They included Mahaffy, Palmer, Tyrrell, Maguire, Ridgeway, Purser, Bury, Beare and Starkie. Some of them, like Ridgeway and Bury, carried their Irish inspiration to the great universities of England. To deep scholarship these Trinity College men added zest, a mood of adventure, a critical sanity and a sense of humour—qualities which were peculiarly serviceable at that time, since they helped to save England from the heavy influences of the German tradition. Mahaffy and Palmer were not apt to "trace the enclitic *de*," but they could recreate the Egypt of the Ptolemies and the soul of Catullus. To this group, or hierarchy, Louis Claude Purser belonged, and to-day he is the sole surviyor. His retirement leaves the classical fame of Trinity College in the keeping of a younger school.

Dr. Purser's monument, *aere perennius*, will be the seven volumes of "The Correspondence of Cicero," in which he collaborated with the late Dr. Tyrrell. This edition, now, almost everywhere, the accepted edition of Cicero's Letters, was published, volume by volume, between 1890 and 1906. In its elegances—as, for instance, the translation of an airy Greek quotation into happy French—we detect Tyrrell's inimitable touch. The depth and accuracy of historical research and the perfection of the textual criticism reveal in a thousand places his partner's hand. In addition to many articles in the great Dictionary of Antiquities and in learned journals Dr. Purser has published an edition of that immortal story of Cupid and Psyche which is embedded so curiously in the "Golden Ass" of Apuleius. The style of the main book—Apuleius was an African—is "precious" and involved; the style of the Cupid and Psyche episode is beautifully limpid and clear. Dr. Tyrrell, who loved modern analogies, compared this contrast with the contrast between "Ouida's" styles in her society novels and in her little story of the wooden shoes.

Nobody who has enjoyed Dr. Purser's company could have any doubt about the profundity and variety of his learning. For young men his talk, which was without a trace of pedantry, always has been a liberal education. He moved in the ancient past as one whose real interests were nowhere else: one was reminded sometimes of that other great scholar who always dropped his voice when he mentioned some scandal about Tiberius. The major classics are not Dr. Purser's only field. He is equally at home in the by-paths of the Silver and later ages; he is the eminent authority on Sidonius Apollinaris, and Tertullian and other famous Fathers of the Church have no secrets from him. Once a casual remark about the Romans' knowledge of shorthand drew from him an impromptu discourse on that subject in which many writers would have found material for a book.

The affection in which Dr. Purser is held by generations of Trinity College men is due not only to his brilliant gifts, but to his abounding kindness and unselfishness. Throughout his life he has been always more anxious to help than to attain; and his output might have been larger if his assistance to other scholars had been less frequent and less liberal. More than once he has completed tasks that the illness or death of fellow-workers left unfinished. For instance, he perfected the last volume, and wrote a masterly index, of Henry's *Æneidea*—that vast achievement of Irish research which all the Vergilian scholars have ransacked during the last thirty years.

The College, and her sons throughout Ireland and the Empire, will feel themselves the poorer for Dr. Purser's retirement. They were proud of his scholarship. They loved the man whose modesty was an example to them all, whose help never failed them, whose goodness and graciousness have sweetened the College's society for fifty years. Fortunately, there is no need to say "Good-bye"; for Dr. Purser retires only from the active life of Trinity College. To-day, like the governors of Plato's Republic, he is *ephetos*—released to fulfil his days in uninterrupted devotion to the studies that he has adorned. The gratitude and good wishes of twelve generations of Trinity College men will follow him into his richly-earned repose.

PARTED AFTER 44 YEARS OF MARRIED LIFE.

After forty-four and a half years of married life Betsy Poole, aged 74, was, at the Fleetwood Court yesterday, granted a separation order from her husband, Edward Poole, aged 78.

THE BRITISH BETS TAX.

YIELD SUFFICIENT FOR WIDOWS' PENSIONS.

Mr. Churchill, Sir Arthur Steel-Maitland, Mr. Ramsay Macdonald and Mr. Philip Snowden dealt with the question of taxation in speeches last night.

"I am quite impenitent about the betting tax," said Mr. Churchill, speaking at Waltham Abbey, in the Epping Division. "We have got three or four millions, which will almost exactly equal the amount of money which the Government has to provide to establish a universal system of widows' pensions for the whole year.

"There are ways in which the incidence of this tax can be made more agreeable to those who are specially concerned in betting, and they will be studied."

REDUCTIONS.

"The Government is striving in every way possible to reduce the burden of taxation so far as it can be limited without impairing absolutely necessary services," said Sir Arthur Steel-Maitland, Minister of Labour, at Witton, Birmingham.

"Is the Labour Party going to save the country from taxation? If the Labour Party's promises regarding unemployment insurance, old age pensions, widows' pensions, pensions for single women and orphans, etc., are fulfilled, the cost will amount to over two hundred millions a year.

Replying to criticisms by the Chairman of the Labour Party of the Government's attitude on unemployment, Sir Arthur said that the best figure this year for unemployment was twenty-five thousand better than the best figure under the Socialist Administration, judged by their own test of employment. "The Conservative administration is vindicated and the Socialist administration stands condemned."

THE SURTAX.

"We are going to face an election, hard up, crippled for finance, but with more enthusiasm on the part of the working-classes behind us than we have ever known," said Mr. Ramsay Macdonald at Abergwynfi, near Aberavon. He appealed for peace in the coalfields, but said that neither he nor his colleagues stood for a peace that was a surrender or a slavery, but for a peace based on fair play.

Dealing with the Labour Party's proposal for a surtax, he said: "Make no mistake about it, we are going on with it."

"BRILLIANT COMEDIAN."

"The financial position of our country to-day is far more precarious and far weaker than it was three years ago. During those years Mr. Churchill has damaged the national credit, so that to-day he cannot convert a short term loan at less than five per cent.," declared Mr. Philip Snowden at Nottingham.

"In two years he has achieved a deficit of fifty millions, and has raided the sinking fund of twenty-five million pounds. If the national resources had been carefully husbanded there should have been a considerable improvement in national credit, for during the past three years the credit of every country has improved, except that of Britain."

Mr. Snowden described Mr. Churchill as "the most brilliant comedian on the political stage."

FRANCO-AMERICAN CUSTOMS.

REPORTED CONCESSIONS TO FRANCE.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

PARIS, Tuesday.

It is understood that the latest American Note on the Customs controversy, which was presented yesterday, marks a welcome step towards agreement. The United States Government has, it is said, renounced its demand for treatment more advantageous than was accorded before August 30, and has agreed to enter into immediate negotiations with France on the condition that meanwhile American goods shall not have less favourable treatment than before August 30.

The United States Note expresses a willingness to discuss the tests applied to certain French agricultural and pharmaceutical products, provided the French, on their part, discuss the tariffs applied to certain American goods which are not specified.

The Note recognises the right of French business men to demand the revision of the American tariffs on their products, if they are disproportionate to the cost price, thereby placing them in a position of inferiority to American producers.

The Note also offers to abandon the practice of inquiries into cost prices in factories.

COMMUNISTS ON TRIAL IN HUNGARY.

POLICE DENY CHARGES OF TORTURE.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

BUDAPEST, Tuesday.

Denials that the Hungarian police extorted "confessions" from their prisoners by torture were made to-day by Inspector Schweinitzer, Chief of the C.I.D. during the proceedings in connection with the trial of the fifty-eight Communists who were arrested in February on a charge of having engaged in subversive propaganda.

Inspector Schweinitzer declared that, since the fall of the Bolshevist Dictatorship of Bela Kun in 1919, the Hungarian police had unmasked eleven Communist plots.

The President of the Court pointed out that the prisoners had declared that they had been tortured by the police into making "confessions."

Inspector Schweinitzer replied that he had never heard of any tortures, and that none of the prisoners had ever complained to him.

The inspector added that a man named Vagi, the leader of the Extreme Left Labour Group, and his supporters had served as a screen for the intrigues of a Communist organisation directed from Moscow by Bela Kun, the former "Red" Dictator in Hungary.

CAPTAIN COURTNEY RETURNING

CORUNNA, Tuesday.

Captain Courtney, who abandoned his proposed flight across the Atlantic last month, left for Plymouth at 9.30 this morning in a "Whale" hydroplane.—(Reuter.)

Mr. R. John Buck Lloyd has been elected a director of the National Provincial Bank, Ltd.

LATE NEWS.

SOUTH AFRICA'S FLAG.

THE REAL NEEDS OF THE COUNTRY.

The Times, in a leader on the settlement of the South African flag controversy, says that the real needs of South Africa are a larger white population and a broader basis of wealth and revenue as a firm framework for a lasting national policy. Because of their membership of the Empire South Africans are participants in a partnership which can be turned to effective account for meeting these needs. It is only lately that the full possibilities of the idea of the Empire as a partnership in economic enterprise had been realised, either at home or in the Dominions, and there are naturally many among the Dutch-born South Africans who still find no more in the conception of Empire than an imposed political connection; but the happy ending of a dangerous controversy, which was always rather a flame from live embers than an isolated outbreak of fire, is, at least, of good hope that similar conflagrations will be avoided in future.

VICTORY FOR COMMON-SENSE.

The *Daily Chronicle* says:—The settlement of the South African flag dispute by agreement between the parties is a great victory for common-sense and sane patriotism within the Dominion concerned, and will be hailed with relief and satisfaction throughout the Empire. The future of South Africa depends on the harmony of the two white races who live there together. It depends also on the maintenance of the imperial connection, which guarantees to the young nation the freedom and security needed for its development. It was because the flag controversy seemed to be developing on lines inconsistent with both these principles that so much alarm was reasonably felt about it.

EARTHQUAKE BREAKS CABLE.

STRANGE DEEP SEA FISH COME TO SURFACE.

FROM "THE TIMES" CORRESPONDENT.

NEW YORK, Tuesday.

The centre of the earthquake recorded on seismographs all over the United States yesterday was apparently in the Pacific Ocean, but Alaska suffered a shaking. The south-eastern part of that territory felt it worst. In Juneau people ran out into the streets in alarm when windows began to break and dishes to fall from shelves. The towns of Sitka, Ketchikan and Petersburg, in Alaska, and Sewa in British Columbia, all felt the shock, but in Northern Alaska the tremors were slight.

The submarine cable was broken in two places, near Wrangell, fifty miles from Petersburg, and between Juneau and Skagway.

There was no tidal wave at Honolulu, though one had been predicted from the early afternoon by Dr. Jaggar, the Government volcanologist; but at Hilo, in the Hawaiian Islands, Japanese fishermen made large hauls of strange deep-sea fish.

CHICAGO'S COMEDY POSTPONED.

DEFENDANT LEAVES FOR A LECTURE TOUR.

FROM "THE TIMES" CORRESPONDENT.

NEW YORK, Tuesday.

The most strenuous efforts of Mr. Thompson, Mayor of Chicago, and his colleagues to give an appearance of dignity to the trial of Mr. William McAndrew, the school superintendent, on a charge of introducing pro-British ideas into Chicago's school system, seem doomed to failure.

Yesterday, when a makeshift Court was convened, Mr. McAndrew caused an anti-climax by going off on a lecture tour. There was an "Alice-in-Wonderland" scene as members of the Court tried to make up their minds whether or not it would be safe to go on without the defendant.

In the end the trial was postponed, but not until the President of the Board of Education, who presided, had had to reprove spectators for giggling, and to remind them that "this is not a vaudeville show."

GENERAL MOTORS.

ENORMOUS EARNINGS.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

NEW YORK, Tuesday.

The keenest interest was shown by Wall street this afternoon in the report issued by General Motors, the giant corporation of the American motor industry, for the first nine months of 1927, showing the net earnings at nearly two hundred million dollars more than for any nine months in its history, and greater than the previous "record" earnings for the full year 1926.

The exact figures of the earnings were 193,758,302 dollars.

MUTINY ON HIGH SEAS.

SHOOTING OF TWO OFFICERS.

RIGA, Tuesday.

The trial concluded at Odessa to-day of the two sailors, Daskevich and Tychkin, who headed a mutiny on board the Egyptian steamer Inkerman, killing two officers and a seaman, and subsequently bringing the ship into Odessa.

During the trial members of the crew stated that they had decided to sail to Soviet Russia "where workers were not exploited."

Daskevich, who was stated to have shot both the officers and the sailor with his own hand, was sentenced to eighteen months' imprisonment.

As previously reported, the Soviet authorities confiscated the steamer Inkerman, on the ground that it had been seized by the White Guards during the evacuation of Odessa, and sold by them to the Egyptian Navigation Company.—(Reuter.)

"DAILY MAIL" BIDDERS.

LORD ROTHERMERE'S INTEREST NOT FOR SALE.

The *Financial News* has received from Messrs. Johnson, Jecks and Colclough, Lord Rothermere's solicitors, the following communication:—

"The attention of our client, Lord Rothermere, has been drawn to a paragraph in your issue of the 21st inst., giving currency to what you describe as a whisper in usually well-informed quarters, that Lord Inverforth is about to acquire from Lord Rothermere a controlling interest in the *Daily Mail*.

"Our client instructs us that there is no foundation whatever for the whisper. He has never entertained in any shape or form any suggestion of a sale of his interest in the *Daily Mail*, and his interest is not for sale."

Colonel O. H. Delano Osborne has been appointed to command the 150th York and Durham Infantry Brigade, Territorial Army.

DAIL EIREANN TO-DAY.

UNEMPLOYMENT PROBLEM.

IMPORTANT DEBATE EXPECTED.

FROM OUR POLITICAL CORRESPONDENT.

An important debate on the unemployment problem will take place in Dail Eireann to-day. Mr. Daniel Morrissey, deputy-leader of the Labour Party, will propose the following resolution:—"That the measures hitherto adopted by the Government for the relief of unemployment are inadequate and ought to be extended immediately."

This question of the Government's alleged diffident handling of the unemployment problem is raised at the beginning of every session, and invariably leads to a long discussion. On this occasion, with Mr. de Valera and his colleagues in the House, there is no reason to believe that the debate will lack animation, and there is little chance that it will be completed in one sitting.

The announcement that the Government intends to introduce a special vote for the relief of unemployment has deprived the Opposition of a good deal of its thunder, and unquestionably will have the effect of securing the Ministry's maximum majority.

THE SPECIAL VOTE.

The proposed special vote has been under consideration by the Executive Council for the past few days, but no information is yet obtainable regarding the amount to be made available. I am told that it will not exceed £250,000; but I am unable to verify the suggestion that the money will be applied to an extension of the existing poor relief. Special poor relief was given in Dublin in 1926 for four weeks, but those who administered it, according to the Minister for Local Government, "could not recommend its continuance, because it was demoralising and failed in its object."

In any case, the amount of the present vote will probably be made known to the House to-day by the Finance Minister, who probably will indicate also the manner in which it is proposed to be applied.

The Labour Party's motion is not the only interesting item on the agenda for to-day, although it is the only one likely to come up for consideration. A motion has been tabled by Captain Redmond calling for the appointment of a Commission to investigate claims of ex-Service men in the Free State against the British Government arising out of their war service; and, further, to investigate charges of discrimination between them and other citizens of the Irish Free State in the matter of employment on public and local services in the country.

There is also on the agenda a motion by Mr. T. J. O'Connell, the leader of the Labour Party, proposing the election of his colleague, Mr. Patrick Hogan, of Clare, to the office of Deputy-Speaker of the House. This was the only name submitted up to 6 o'clock last evening, and, so far as I can gather, it will be the only one before the Dail when the appointment comes to be made. Even if Fianna Fail should decide to nominate a candidate for the office, I do not think it likely that the Ministerial Party would select a nominee.

FIANNA FAIL'S BILLS.

Another item on the agenda is the introduction by Fianna Fail of two private bills, the first to repeal the Public Safety Act and the second to delete from the Local Government Act of 1925 the section which makes it incumbent upon officials of local authorities to sign, on their appointment, a declaration of allegiance to the State.

If the introduction of these two measures is opposed, further consideration of the question must, according to Standing Orders, be postponed to the next day for private members' business; but in any case there will be no time for discussion of the bills before Wednesday next, since the House is not to sit on Friday.

Among the questions there will be an important one by Captain Redmond, who will ask whether, in view of the fact that the judgment of the Privy Council in the Wigg-Cochrane case was delivered several months ago, the Civil Service Committee will be allowed to resume its work at once. The function of this Committee is primarily to decide the question of allowing, or disallowing, retirement under Article 10 of the Treaty. The labours of the Committee were interrupted by the appeal to the Privy Council, and have not since been resumed.

The question was raised in July by Mr. Anthony, one of the Labour deputies for Cork, and the Ministerial reply at the time was that the judgment of the Privy Council raised not merely financial, but constitutional and legal, questions of far-reaching importance, and that, as the matter was under consideration, the Ministry was not in a position to make any further statement. A few days before the last Dail dissolved Major Bryan Cooper again raised the question and was referred to the foregoing reply.

SLOVENLY EXHIBIT.

Another important question likely to be raised to-day refers to a slovenly exhibit of Free State eggs at the recent Islington Dairy Show. The exhibit, which was supposed to represent a normal commercial sample from the Free State, was selected by the British Ministry of Agriculture from the stocks of British importers, and a great deal of comment and indignation was excited by the slovenliness of the exhibit, which was replaced by another sample one or two days later.

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THE FITNESS OF A RACEHORSE.

OWNER CHARGED WITH CRUELTY.

CASE STOPPED BY THE MAGISTRATES.

Dr. Charles Sixsmith, of Barry, Glamorgan, whose horse, Stampede, was sold to the Dowager Marchioness of Queensberry two days before this year's Derby, in which it ran last, was the defendant at Chepstow yesterday in a case concerning the running of Belted Knight, which came in last in a five furlongs race at the Chepstow Autumn Meeting. He was summoned for, that he did "unlawfully and cruelly ill-treat and abuse and torture the animal, by working it in an unfit condition."

The Chief Constable of Cardiff, Mr. J. A. Wilson, said that the horse was lame on all four legs, and particularly on the off fore-leg. It was obviously in pain. In a five furlong race it came home two furlongs behind everything else. The condition of lameness was worse when these before it started, and he heard people shout: "Shame."

"It hobbled," he said "like a cat on hot bricks, and its front legs were like a pair of stilts."

"LAME AND STIFF."

The Chief Constable of Monmouth, Mr. Victor Bosanquet, said that before the race the horse was lame in the off fore-leg, and was stiff and over-shod on the other leg. It was obviously unfit to run. Dr. Sixsmith promised him that the horse would not run, and he said: "Very well, that ends the matter." He was, therefore, surprised to see the horse finish another race a long time after all the others. Half an hour after the race he saw the horse lying in its box.

The Chief Constable said that he had had a "closer or two himself in his time, and he agreed with Mr. Harold Lloyd (for the defence) that he had run a horse that had broken down.

Mr. Lloyd—Under the circumstances, and having regard to the class of material in this race, where would you have expected the horse to have come in?

The Witness—The place I should have expected to see him would have been in the knacker's cart.

Major Moon, Tredegar, veterinary surgeon, said that he did not agree that the horse was lame on all four legs. The horse had sprung joints and a strained tendon. That could have come on suddenly and gone away suddenly. It might have come on that morning.

THE DEFENCE.

Addressing the Court for the defence, Mr. Lloyd said that his client sent his horse to Chepstow as a hobby and not to illtreat it. It had never been on a racecourse before, and had no earthly chance in that race, but Chepstow was the nearest place that he could send it for experience. He went to the Clerk of the Course and interviewed the Stewards, and was told that permission would not be given to withdraw it. If he disregarded that he would be liable to be heavily fined or run the risk of a tyrannical prosecution. It was apparent that a mistake had been made through over zealousness, and the defendant was pilloried because two Chief Constables had a bee in their bonnets.

Dr. Sixsmith, in his evidence, said that he did not wish to run the horse if there was any question of its fitness. Lord Glanely, a Steward, said to him: "I tell you the horse is not lame, and it must be run."

While the defendant was giving his evidence the magistrate stopped the case and dismissed it, the Chairman (Mr. G. M. Vaughan-Hughes) remarking that they were satisfied that the defendant did his duty in reporting the matter to the Stewards, and there his responsibility ended.

THE RULES OF RACING.

According to the Rules of Racing, if the horse's number has been exhibited as that of a runner no alteration can be made without the leave of the Stewards. Should any horse not start whose number has been exhibited, the owner and any other person responsible may be fined. If an owner declares his horse has become lame and is unfit to run after its number has been exhibited as a runner, and wishes to withdraw it, the general practice is that the horse is examined by one or more of the Stewards, whose decision is final.

A DETESTABLE IDEA.

Dr. Sixsmith, when interviewed after the case, said—The very remotest suggestion of cruelty is to me abhorrent. If there is cruelty to human beings who can speak for and defend themselves, how much more detestable must the idea of cruelty be to me after my lifelong association with dumb animals, particularly horses, which I have ridden and driven since childhood? So detestable was the idea to me that I was prepared to go the fullest length, to the House of Lords, to vindicate my character as a lover of horses.

I am, however, greatly affected by the way in which friends all over the country have come forward to speak on my behalf. I had a number of witnesses from all parts of the country, but it was not necessary to call them, in view of the fact that the magistrates dismissed the case before I had completed my evidence.

GIRLS FOR FARM SERVICE

A SCOTTISH MOTHER'S ADVICE.

At a meeting yesterday in Peebles, in support of the scheme of the Scottish Council for Women's Trades, for placing unemployed girls in farm service, Miss Anna Buchan said—"Never before in the country has there been a greater desire to help others. My brother, John (Colonel Buchan, M.P.), said the other day that he did not think there had ever been so much incoherent goodness about so many honourable intentions, so much well-meaning effort as at present. That accurately described the situation. The only real happiness in life that we can look forward to is to work hard, and try to do something for other people, and here is the work to our very hand." There were difficulties to be met with. She had heard of a mother who, on parting from her girl, who was going into service, said—"Dae as little as ye can. Eat as muckle as ye can, and if ye dinna like it come awa hame." This was about the saddest thing she had ever heard, and if the mother did say such a thing she was a traitor to her country.

OBITUARY.

LADY WAINWRIGHT.

The death took place on Monday at Shackleford, near Godalming, of Lady Wainwright, aged eighty-four, wife of Sir James Gadesden Wainwright, who was for many years treasurer of St. Thomas's Hospital, London.

BRITISH STEEL MAKERS' BID FOR SUPREMACY.

IMPORTANT MOVEMENT ON FOOT.

Mr. Frank Rees, J.P., managing director of the Llanelly Steel Company, Ltd., moving the adoption of the annual report at Swansea Metal Exchange yesterday afternoon, alluded to the menace to the Welsh tinplate industry by the cheaper cost of production on the part of the United States steel manufacturers.

"There is an important movement on foot at the moment in South Wales," he said, "which, if successful, will show to the world that we are determined to be in front of the steel makers of the world, with the most modern and up-to-date plants and methods. I am perfectly satisfied we are on the right track, that we have the blessing and interest of all those engaged in our industry, and that the realisation of our ambitions and desires in the direction to which I have just pointed will, I confidently believe, regain for us our place in the iron and steel industries of the world."

It is understood that Mr. Rees was alluding to the scheme for the amalgamation of smaller works, and the replacing of obsolete plant with modern processes of manufacture.

DUBLIN PORT AND DOCKS BOARD. Open Competition for Males (15-19) announced for 16th November. Last exam., September, 1923. FIRST PLACE—A. Horneck. Special Oral Classes. SECRETT'S COLLEGE, 76 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin.—Advt.

BIG CLAIMS FOR DOG RACING.

CURE FOR BOLSHEVISM AND DRUNKENNESS.

"Greyhound racing has come to stay," said Brigadier-General A. C. Critchley, managing director of the Greyhound Racing Association, at a dinner, at which he was the principal guest of the Thirty Club, at Claridge's, London, last night.

"It will go through difficulties next year," said General Critchley, "but will come out of them as one of our national sports, properly controlled, properly handled, a great antidote to Bolshevism, and a very present help to our harrassed Chancellor of the Exchequer, especially if the 'tote' is introduced—it probably means sixpence off the income tax." (Laughter.)

There was, however, going to be a stiff fight, he added. There were very powerful interests against them. There was going to be opposition also from other greyhound racing companies. "Greyhound racing could not be successful in towns with a population of less than 300,000, and his Association had covered most of those above that number."

A NATIONAL BOARD OF CONTROL.

They hoped that by the opening of next season a National Board of Control might be established, and that their Racing Committee might be the nucleus of such a board.

There would be seventeen tracks in various parts of the country owned by, controlled by and affiliated to the Greyhound Racing Association, and for each of these the management they had seen at the White City and Harringay would be insisted on. They would give the poor man his racecourse run in the best possible manner.

MILLIONS OF "DOG FANCIERS."

General Critchley gave remarkable statistics to show the popularity of greyhound racing. Already four million people had attended greyhound races. Figures showed definitely, he said, that about one per cent. of the population "go to the dogs" wherever there were tracks. In Manchester, with a million people in a close radius to the greyhound track, the average attendance was about 10,000 a night. In Edinburgh, where there were 400,000 people, the average was about 4,000. Birmingham, with 900,000, came out roughly at 9,000. The White City, which tapped an area of about 4,000,000, averaged a little better than 40,000 a night.

General Critchley said that he was convinced that of the crowds not one in four betted. The authorities reported nearly fifty per cent. reduction in drunkenness whenever there was greyhound racing.

STOCKBROKER'S £100,000.

A DUBLIN MAN'S WILL.

Mr. Richard Bridson Boyce, of Wentworth, Merrion road, and of 35 College Green, Dublin, banker and stockbroker, a member of the Dublin Stock Exchange, and of the Council of the Institute of Bankers, who died on August 18 last, left personal estate in England and the Irish Free State valued at £123,924 11s. 2d. Probate of the will, dated March 20, 1927, with a codicil of April 7, 1927, has been granted to his brother, Charles Edward Boyce, of 20 Herbert street, Dublin, and Charles Hutchings Denroche, of 32 Nassau street, Dublin. The testator left

£500 each to the trustees of the will;
£1,000 each to John William Moore and Henry Thomas Reynolds, in his employ;
£400 to Ernest Russell Rafter, in his employ;
£1,000 each to James B. Walker and and Archibald Honeyman, in his employ;
£200 each to his present housemaid and his present parlourmaid;
£100 to his present cook;
The good-will of his business as a banker and stockbroker and £11,500 conditionally upon trusts for his assistant and intended partner, Michael King-French;
£500 to Miss McCandlin, in his employ;
£150 per annum to Andrew Mease Milligan and £50 per annum to his wife, Mrs. Amy Milligan; £3,000 to James Tweedy, solicitor, and the residue of the property as to one-third to the children of his sister, Lady Arabella Maud Boyce; one-third to his brother, Charles Edward Boyce, and one-third to his sister-in-law, Alice Maud Mary Johnston.

MODERN WOMAN'S DRESS.

CORK ROTARIAN'S APPROVAL

FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

CORK, Tuesday.

Cork Rotarians, at their weekly luncheon to-day, heard with interest a defence of modern fashions in women's clothing, as viewed by Mr. Robert Anderson, in the course of a paper entitled "The Evolution of Clothing."

Fifteen or twenty years ago, he declared, the clothes worn by women possessed neither grace nor form, and the movements of the wearers were restricted by the mass of material which they were compelled to carry.

I have known it, he added, to take four and a half yards of 56-inch material to make one of those skirts, or the same amount of material that was required to make a man's entire suit, with an extra pair of trousers.

Proceeding, he asked how, when they compared the waist-line of former years with the natural figure of to-day, could they have any sympathy or patience with the old women of both sexes, who raised their hands in pious horror at what they called the extreme fashions of to-day.

Mr. Anderson went on to say that they need not be in the least alarmed of any danger of reversion to the old type. His experience of ladies gave him every confidence in their good taste and sense of propriety. If they admired the female figure in art, why should they object to seeing the beautiful limbs of the figure clothed in silk stockings? Mr. Anderson's concluding remark was possibly his strongest argument in favour of the cause that he was championing. An aged spinster, he contended, does not wear a short skirt to her knees for the mere fun of doing so, but rather because she realises that three or four inches off the length of the skirt takes five or ten years off her age in appearance.

MEN'S DRESS.

Mr. J. J. Horgan, solicitor, who presided, was not in entire agreement with all Mr. Anderson's conclusions, but intimated his satisfaction at the present fashions for men, who, he declared, had arrived at a very sensible form of dress, and very sensibly were staying there.

MR. S. M'BRIDE RELEASED.

Mr. Sean McBride was released on Monday night from Mountjoy Prison, where he has been detained for some time under the terms of the Public Safety Act.

MAN FOUND DEAD IN DUBLIN HOTEL.

A man, whose name is said to be William Ryan, aged about 50 years, who booked a room in the Brazen Head Hotel, Bridge street, Dublin, late last night, was later found dead in the room with his throat cut. The body was removed to Mercer's Hospital.

The deceased man was an ex-member of the Royal Irish Constabulary on pension, and was employed as an insurance agent.

DISARMAMENT.

PREPARATORY COMMISSION CONVENED.

INTERNATIONAL PEACE.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

GENEVA, Tuesday.

Jonkheer Loudon, the Dutch Minister in Paris, has, as Chairman of the Preparatory Commission of the League of Disarmament Conference, informed the members of the Commission that the fourth session will be opened at Geneva on the 30th of next month. The provisional agenda includes the consideration of the resolution of the League Assembly and the League Council on disarmament, as well as the position of the actual work of the Commission.

Note—Lord Cecil took a prominent part in the earlier labours of the Preparatory Disarmament Commission, which, although it has been now in existence for some eighteen months, has not yet succeeded in hammering out a workable basis for the proposed general Disarmament Conference of the Powers which it is proposed to hold under the League auspices. Besides continuing its efforts to clear up the various delicate points of principle involved, the Committee will in the session now convened have before it the important resolutions on disarmament adopted last month by the League Assembly. These resolutions, among other things, expressed a wish that civil aviation should be directed solely towards economic ends, to the exclusion of military interests, and he urged the formation of a new permanent Commission of Arbitration and Security, on which it would be possible for States not members of the League to consider what measures are calculated to afford all States guarantees of arbitration and security, to enable them to fix the levy of their armaments at the lowest figures. They further recommended the extension of Arbitration Treaties, and finally suggested that the members of the League should be invited to inform the Council of the measures they would be prepared to take, and what forces they would be prepared to employ to support the decision of the Council in the event of a conflict breaking out in a given region.

POOLING OF SECURITY.

LORD PARMOOR'S VIEWS.

No effective and general scheme of disarmament can be satisfactorily framed unless it is based on a general sense of security among the nations especially affected, said Lord Parmoor, in a speech on disarmament and arbitration delivered last evening at All Souls' College, Oxford. Let us welcome the resolutions passed at Geneva on the initiative of Poland and Norway, and hail with satisfaction the approval of the principle of all-inclusive arbitration. The issue of peace or war in the future is too great to allow matters of detail to stand in the way of the acceptance of a great principle.

It is the object of the Protocol to promote a general sense of security. Treaties can only be varied by war or agreement, and a chance of agreement depends on a sufficient sense of security between the frontiers States directly affected. It is in the hope of creating this sense of security that the Protocol was drafted. It is said that the responsibility which would be created for nations which are parties to the Protocol would be greater than that created in such a regional treaty as the Locarno Treaty. The answer seems to be that the pooling of security both diminishes the chance of responsibility and makes responsibility more easy of fulfilment should the occasion arise.

If the question is asked whether responsibility is greater under the terms of the Protocol than under the terms of the Covenant as it stands, I should unhesitatingly answer the question in the negative.

The whole future of Christian civilisation is at stake. I believe we all want to substitute the reign of right in international policy, and to introduce justice instead of violence as the guiding factor. The royal road to promote progress is by encouraging mutual understanding, by looking beyond our countries, not for potential enemies, but for a friendly neighbourliness.

NEW LONDON PLAY.

"THE RED UMBRELLA" AT THE Q THEATRE.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

LONDON, Tuesday.

Whimsy Drew, the heroine of the new comedy by Brenda Girvin and Monica Cosen at the Q Theatre, hid her shyness of people beneath a large red umbrella. The quaint and fanciful girl lived in a dream world of her own, and when her wayside cottage was invaded by a picnic party, she ran upstairs out of sight.

There was a storm inside the cottage as well as outside, because an elderly irate man of wealth was wrath with his nephew for forgetting his cold roly-poly pudding. He swore to disinherit him. The nephew, however, was unconcerned, as he was disinherited once a week on an average. Endeavours to smooth down the uncle by the other members of the party—a young girl (who had kept the nephew waiting for her answer to his marriage proposal) and a doctor, only made him more worse, and he made a will in favour of the owner of the cottage, Whimsy Drew, because she was such a funny little oddity, and the will might induce some man to marry her.

Weeks later, the old man died, but no one has the heart to tell the sweet girl of the unkind words in the will, and she is told that she has been left the one because she has so much charm. Blossoming under this kindness and approval, she grows to like real people and trust them, especially the doctor, with whom she falls in love. The modern young woman, keen on her own interests, disillusions the heart-stricken girl, who goes back to her dream people and again retires under the red umbrella. It, however, all comes right in the end.

The passages between Whimsy and the doctor are altogether delightful—and this was undoubtedly due to Miss Jean Forbes Robertson's delicate playing of the part. She imbued the girl with such shy charms and made the play seem much better than it actually is. All parts were well played. Mr. Charles Carson was just right as the doctor, Miss Marie Ault and Mr. George Howe were excellent as the clergyman and his wife, who could not tell the girl the scathing words of the will, while other parts were nicely played by Miss Eileen Peel, Mr. Wallace Geoffrey and Miss Betty Price.

£100 IN SOVEREIGNS AND NOTES

DISAPPEARS FROM A BED.

JOHANNESBURG, Tuesday.

A mysterious affair, the victim of which is Mr. Leonard Firth, of Dewsbury, one of the delegates to the recent Congress of Chambers of Commerce, is at present being investigated by the Johannesburg Criminal Investigation Department.

It appears that when proceeding to the railway station to take the train to Pretoria, after passing the night at a hotel, Mr. Firth suddenly remembered that he had left behind about £100 in bank notes and sovereigns, which he had placed under his pillow. He at once returned to the hotel, but by that time the money had disappeared.—(Reuter.)

SALE OF ABERDEEN-ANGUS CALVES.

There was a large attendance at Sopwell Hall, Cloughjordan, yesterday for the second annual sale of pure-bred Aberdeen-Angus bull and heifer calves (by Idol of Kilmuiled), the property of Captain C. S. Trench. The following were the best prices obtained:—

Bulls—Dragoon of Sopwell, purchased by Mr. William Fagan, Kinnitty, for 47 guineas; Hussar of Sopwell, bought by Mr. Richard English, Burncourt, Roscrea, for 41 guineas; Black Boy of Sopwell, bought by Mr. Wilson, Moneygall, at 36 guineas; Baronet of Sopwell, bought by Mr. Campbell, Castlecomer, at 36 guineas; Kaffir of Sopwell, bought by Mr. B. C. Williams, Cloughjordan, at 32 guineas.

Heifers—Vita of Sopwell, bought by Mr. J. L. Hodgins, Aghue, Kilbeggan, at 36 guineas; Elsie of Sopwell, bought by Mr. Campbell, Castlecomer, at 26 guineas; Ruth of Sopwell, bought by Mr. J. L. Hodgins, Aghue, Kilbeggan, at 26 guineas; Juno of Sopwell, bought by the Earl of Rosse, Birr Castle, Birr, at 20 guineas.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

NEGLECTED GRAVEYARDS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—A few weeks ago I was on a short tour in the South of Ireland, and during my stay in various places I visited several graveyards. A prolonged residence in the city did not prepare me for the state of affairs I observed in these sadly neglected places. I do not think that the most uncivilised countries in the world could show such a shocking disrespect for the tombs of their forefathers as our Irish people do. Burial places overgrown with rank weeds and shrubs, broken tombstones, graves half fallen in, constituting a real danger to the visitor; heaps of poor, and bones "from insult unprotected" in odd corners, and in some cases nameless desecrations by man and beast—this, I think, is not an exaggerated picture of the average graveyard. They are a disgrace to our country, and some authority should see that a remedy for this state of affairs is found.

Only a few weeks ago a letter appeared in the public Press from the Most Rev. Dr. Fogarty, of Killaloe, stating that "these cemeteries are a shame to Ireland." In a pamphlet on "Our Duties to Our Dead," published some years ago, the late Most Rev. Dr. Halligan denounced their condition and our neglect of them in still severer terms.

To look to the authorities, however, is merely to shift the blame from our own shoulders. We can do a lot ourselves. What is to prevent the local clergy and the teacher from consecrating a few hours of the pupils' school time twice a year—say, in spring and autumn—to the cleaning and decorating of the local graveyard? It would be a work of piety and, to many, a tribute of duty and affection. I know that the local prejudice with regard to interference with graves is very strong, but in most cases it is a prejudice begotten of ignorance and superstition. With the assistance of the clergy and the schoolmaster it could be taught and laughed out of existence in a few years. The continental graveyards I have seen are places of frequent pilgrimage for the neighbouring parishioners, and as a rule are kept beautifully. Why should "Holy Ireland" so lag behind, or is our standard of civilisation so low that reverence and decency have no place within our graveyards?

Another matter may be mentioned. A few years ago my friend, Seamus O Cassaide, outlined a scheme in the public Press for the preservation of inscriptions in our graveyards which, I hope, you will permit me to repeat. He asks that the local managers and teachers should be requested to co-operate in a simple little scheme, which is this:—The senior pupils should have a small part of the local graveyard allotted to them, and should be asked to copy carefully the inscriptions on the tombs, making three copies—one for preservation in the local parish register, one to be sent to the Public Record Office, and one to the Society for the Preservation of the Memorials of the Dead. Thus many a memory—many a useful piece of history of families and names now fast passing away—would be preserved.—Yours, etc.,

W. B. JOYCE.

1 Effra road, Dublin,
October 25th, 1927.

FRUIT PRODUCTION IN THE FREE STATE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—I beg to call the attention of the Free State to the deplorable state of our apple market. In the Suir Valley (famous for apples), where I reside, we cannot get a price which would pay for picking, packing, carriage, commission, etc.—not to mention profit—with the result that, although there was only a very medium crop this year, a great portion is left on the ground to rot or feed the pigs. This state of affairs is a very serious matter for the growers. Some years ago the Department of Agriculture spent large sums of money in planting acre plots, which for years were visited by instructors, to see that they were properly attended to, and also to train the holders how to prune, pack, etc.

Now that the trees have come to full bearing, we are left to the mercy of salesmen and retailers, who give us anything they wish. The shops are stocked with foreign apples: even the hucksters and basket-men sell them almost entirely at race meetings, etc. If you go into a Dublin shop and ask for home-grown apples, they will either tell you that they cannot get them, or, if they do have them, will charge an enormous price. To test this I bought a dozen third-rate, small dessert apples, for which I paid 1s. 6d. I would be glad to get 1s. 6d. for a stone-weight of the same variety.

For first quality cooking and dessert apples the following is the return which I received from Corporation market recently:—

4 Barrels Cookers	.....	£2 13 0
2 Boxes Desserts	.....	
	Less:	
Carriage	..... £0 13 4	
Cartage	..... 0 3 0	
Receiving, delivery	... 0 1 6	
Carriage on empties...	0 2 6	
Commission	..... 0 5 6	
		£1 5 10
Net amount received	.....	£1 9 2

This leaves me about 8d. a stone. Compare this with the prices asked in shops. To protect the home growers, why should there not be a tariff on foreign apples from September 1st to January 1st? It makes one sore to know that thousands of pounds are leaving the country for foreign fruit, while our own rots on the ground.—Yours, etc.,

A. G. BOWERS.

Kilkenny, October 25th, 1927.

RAIDS ON MONAGHAN BANKS RECALLED.

£50 IN COURT FOR DISTRIBUTION.

There was a sequel in Monaghan District Court, before District Justice Hannon, to the raids on Monaghan banks in 1922. The matter arose out of the case of the Attorney-General v. Patrick Kelly and Bernard Treanor. The District Justice was asked by the High Court to make an order determining to whom a sum of £50, being money lodged in that Court, should be paid. The persons notified to attend Court were—The managers of the Hibernian, Provincial and Munster and Leinster Banks, Monaghan; Ministry for Finance, Dublin; Patrick Kelly, Enagh, Monaghan; Bernard Treanor, Drumgarron, Monaghan; Miss Mary Kelly, Enagh, Monaghan, and Mr. J. J. Kelly, State Solicitor.

Mr. Keenan said that on August 18, 1922, a number of banks in Monaghan town were broken into and raided. Following that proceedings took place at the Central Criminal Court. At the last sitting two of the parties were to be charged with raiding the banks. They were Patrick Kelly and Bernard Treanor, but the State entered a *nolle prosequi*. A sum of £50, which had been taken by the authorities on the day after the raid was lodged in the Central Criminal Court. Mr. Justice Sullivan decided that this money should be sent down to Monaghan District Court, so that the parties interested might be heard. He had not seen the order, but he understood that it was to that effect.

The Justice, having heard evidence, said that he would like to have a look over the depositions, and adjourned the hearing of the case.

PETLURA TRIAL ENDING.

DEFENCE'S SURPRISE DECISION.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

PARIS, Tuesday.

The trial of Samuel Schwartzbard, for the murder of Petlura, the former Ukrainian Hetman, has been unexpectedly curtailed. After further Russian witnesses, called by the prosecution, had testified this afternoon to Petlura's responsibility for *pogroms*, Maitre Torres, counsel for the defence, rose to announce that he had decided not to call any of his eighty witnesses, as those of the prosecution who had given evidence at the last two hearings had been so unanimously favourable to the defence.

The court then adjourned until to-morrow, when counsels' pleadings will be heard, and the verdict will probably be given.

IRISH CREAMERY GUTTED.

Last Sunday night the creamery at Carhue, Croom, County Limerick, was burned down. The creamery was one of those taken over by the Government in connection with the new dairy scheme. It was formerly the property of the Lansdowne Creamery Company, and contained all the necessary equipment.

The origin of the fire has not been ascertained.

WHERE STRIKES ARE UNKNOWN.

HOW IRAQ PEOPLE TACKLE NEW POSITION.

BRITISH OFFICIAL'S HIGH TRIBUTE.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

GENEVA, Tuesday.

The Permanent Mandates Commission of the League to-day examined the report on Iraq for 1926, in the presence of Mr. Bourdillon, the adviser to the High Commissioner for Iraq, assisted by Mr. Lloyd, of the British Colonial Office.

Mr. Bourdillon stated that the successful results of the policy described last year by Sir Henry Dobbs, the High Commissioner, had been maintained, and he pointed out that the total revenue of the country in 1926 exceeded the estimates by over 8 per cent., which, he said, was a practical testimonial to the general standard of administration.

He added that the Iraq people had, in fact, tackled their task with a sober determination which had made British co-operation singularly pleasant, and had shown administrative capacity with which he and the other British officers in the country when the national Government was instituted could hardly have credited them. There was, however, a tendency towards over-centralisation, due partly to a genuine desire for efficiency, and also to the absence of strong administrative service and sound traditions.

LABOUR TROUBLES NON-EXISTENT.

The speaker described the settlement of the Northern frontier of Iraq as the outstanding event of the year. Turkey had given ample evidence of every desire to be a most friendly neighbour, and the Iraq Government had fully responded. Labour troubles were practically non-existent; employment was plentiful, wages still good, and industrial strikes unknown. There was a satisfactory measure of control over the import consumption and export of dangerous drugs, and the Government had been at pains to comply with all the requirements of the opium conventions of 1912 and 1925. In this they were handicapped by the fact that Persia had not ratified the 1912 Convention.

The High Commissioner was endeavouring to solve the difficulty between the Sunni and Shiah Moslems, to secure the participation of the latter in the administration of the country.

The Commission will conclude its discussion of the Iraq report to-morrow.

NEGOTIATIONS IN LONDON.

Reuter's Agency is informed that, according to arrangement, a conference took place on Monday between King Feisal and the Acting Secretary of State for the Colonies and Dominions (Mr. Ormsby-Gore) in the course of which there was a general discussion of the situation.

The first of the formal conferences on the Anglo-Iraq Treaty revision took place at the Colonial Office yesterday morning, and lasted for about two hours. The Iraq delegation was headed by Jafar Pasha, Prime Minister, who had with him Muzahim Bey, the Iraq Diplomatic Agent in London, and Heidar Bey, Private Secretary to the King. The British Government was represented by Sir Henry Dobbs, High Commissioner for Iraq; Sir John Shockburn, head of the Middle East Department of the Colonial Office, and representatives of the Foreign Office and the Air Force.

This meeting consisted of preliminary discussions concerning the treaty revision, in which various views on the proposed alterations were put forward. These will now be put in writing. The next meeting has not yet been definitely fixed, but is likely to take place in a day or two.

Sir Henry Dobbs in the afternoon had a conference with King Feisal. The negotiations are expected to last about three weeks, and King Feisal will have an audience of the King before his departure to Baghdad.

THE POPE AND IRISH BISHOPS.

AUDIENCES AT THE VATICAN.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

ROME, Tuesday.

The Pope gave a separate audience to-day to Dr. Cadi, the Bishop of Ferns, and Dr. O'Kane, Bishop of Derry, who are both here in connection with the third centenary of the foundation of the Irish National College.

His Holiness again expressed his grief at the death of Cardinal O'Donnell, and spoke of the admiration that he had had in seeing so many of the Irish bishops on the occasion of the centenary.

MODERN LITERATURE.

IS IT DEGENERATE?

"The present-day stage is, at its worst, disgusting, and, at its best, decadent," said Mr. K. Adams, St. John's College, opening for the motion: "That the House sees only degeneration in modern literature," at the Cambridge Union Society debate last night.

Modern decadence reached its lowest depths in novels of sex that were not even naughty, but simply ridiculous. Drama was not, as it should be, a part of our national life. It needed fine organic expression, such as made the Elizabethan age so great.

Mr. W. Empson, Magdalene, who was against the motion, did not see that they could be said to be degenerate who were trying to meet the necessities of the moment. History had shown that where supposed failures had been made in the past, they had been justified later.

Mr. R. J. Yearsley Whittingstall, Corpus Christi, in supporting the opener, said that he felt horrified at the fevered and rotten point of view when daily papers, and even Sunday papers, vied with one another in the publication of matters dealing with sex, a subject on which a humorist could to-day raise a laugh in a drawingroom. He thought it so horribly cheap, so essentially vulgar, that girls in their teens should talk about birth control as a priceless idea.

The voting resulted as follows:—

For the motion	54
Against	185
Majority against	131

AMERICAN OCEAN FLIERS IN LISBON.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

LISBON, Tuesday.

Miss Ruth Elder and Captain Haldeman, who came to grief whilst trying to fly from America to Europe, and were picked up by an oil tanker, expect to leave Lisbon on Thursday by a French aeroplane direct for Paris. If they are not able to procure an aeroplane, they will travel by the 2nd express. The final arrangements regarding their departure will be settled to-morrow.

They had an extraordinarily enthusiastic welcome on arrival here to-day by the mail-boat from the Azores. A small fleet of motor boats met them, and Portuguese aeroplanes circled overhead.

At the disembarkation students spread their cloaks on the ground for Miss Elder to walk over. The President welcomed them at his residence.

A HUMAN OSTRICH.

2LBS. OF NEEDLES IN GIRL'S STOMACH.

COLOGNE, Tuesday

Nearly two pounds weight of needles and small nails were found in the stomach of a seventeen years old girl during the course of an operation.

The girl herself could give no explanation of how they came to be there, and it can only be surmised that she must have indulged in this extraordinary diet when quite a child, and had forgotten all about it.—(Reuter.)

FERMANAGH DAIRY COWS.

Sir Basil Brooke, Bart., Brookeborough, County Fermanagh, has presented a challenge silver bowl to the Central Milk Recording Society, to be presented annually to the owner of the best herd of dairy cows in County Fermanagh.

The Prince of Wales has given a cigarette box for the Lady Mayoress of Newcastle's auction sale next month in aid of local hospitals.

U.S. MARKETS.

LOSSES RECOVERED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

NEW YORK, Tuesday.

Stocks opened strong, and much of the recent losses incurred by forced selling and bear pressure was recovered on short covering, investment buying and pool operations. A belief that the corrective process has been sufficiently drastic to eliminate sore spots, and that a rally was long overdue, caused brisk buying of all classes of stocks, and when the market exhibited definite signs of advancing numerous specialities rose buoyantly. American Machine and Foundry gaining 13, and Houston Oil, International Harvester, Warren Brothers, Dupont, Abraham and Strauss, U.S. Cast Iron Pipe and International Silver 6 to 8 points. On the other hand, Abitibi Power and Paper declined 10 points on the announcement of a merger and split-up of the shares. The market closed strong. Government Bonds quiet; Railroad Bonds easy.

Money on call closed steady at 3½ per cent. bid and 3¾ per cent. asked. Business was done at 3¾ per cent. Sterling exchange steady. Silver ¼c. lower at 56¾c.

According to Bradstreet's statement, the visible supply of wheat increased 3,095,000 bushels, and the visible supply of corn east of the Rockies decreased 1,395,000 bushels on the week.

	Tues.	Mon.
Call Money	3½ b. 3¾ a	3½ b. 3¾ a
Exchange on Lon.—60 days sight	4.85¾	4.85¾ a
Do do Demand Bills	4.86¾	4.86¾
Cable Transfers	4.87	4.87¼
Do. Montreal	4.86⅛	4.86⅛
Exchange Paris cable	3.92¾	3.92¾

Eqg. Parity	Stocks.	Tues.	Mon.
191⅛	Atchison, Topeka, Santa Fe	186½	184¾
103¼	Do. Pref.	102¾	102
121⅝	Baltimore and Ohio	118	116⅛
193⅛	Canadian Pacific	186	183½
167⅛	Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul	16	14¾
98⅜	Chicago and North West	90	88¼
69⅛	Erie Shares	64	64¾
93	Erie 1st Preferred	81¾	80¾
139⅜	Illinois Central	122	121
151⅞	Louisville and Nashville	147½	146
43¼	Missouri, Kansas and Texas	42¾	42
89⅛	Missouri Pacific New	84⅞	84⅛
165⅛	New York C'tral & Hudson R	160⅞	157¾
191	Norfolk and West Com.	186	184
99½	Northern Pacific Com.	96	94¾
68¾	Pennsylvania Shares	65	64⅞
119⅝	Reading Shares	107¾	106
48¾	Do. Pref.	42	42
122⅜	Southern Pacific	117⅜	116¾
134	Southern Railway	130½	130
48⅜	Union Pacific	107¼	106
84⅛	Do. Pref.	83¾	82¾
87⅜	American Can. (New Stock)	84¼	83¼
168⅜	American Smelt. and Refining	164¼	159
47⅜	Anaconda Copper	46¼	46¼
54⅜	Anglo-American Oil	53½	51¾
115	Bethlehem Steel Com. Stock	111	110⅜
129⅞	General Electric (New Stock)	126¾	124
134¼	General Motors (New)	130½	129⅛
34⅛	Inter. Harv. Corp. Com. Certs	4¼	4⅛
33⅜	Do. Pref. Certs	33¾	33¾
32½	International Nickel Com.	31¾	31¼
119⅛	National Lead	116	112¼
49⅜	Pan-American Petroleum "B"	48¼	46¼
42⅜	Shell Transport and Trading	41⅝	42
36⅛	Shell Union Oil Corp.	25¾	25⅜
84⅜	U.S. Rubber	83⅜	82¾
143⅛	United States Steel Common	139½	136⅛
140⅜	Do. Pref.	137¼	137
	Silver Commercial Bars	56¼	56¼
	BONDS.		
100	Atch Top. New 4% Gen. Mort.	97⅛	97⅛
86	Penn Rail. Gen. 4½ Lien Bonds	82¼	81¾
100	Union Pacific 4% Bonds	88½	88
111⅛	U.S. Steel 2nd Mort. 5% Bonds	108½	108
104⅜	U.K. 5½ per cent. Bonds, 1929		118
108⅞	Do. Do. 1937		106⅛
108⅛	7 per cent. German Loan		106⅛
106⅛	U.S. Treas. 3¾ p.c. Bds., 46-56		106⅛

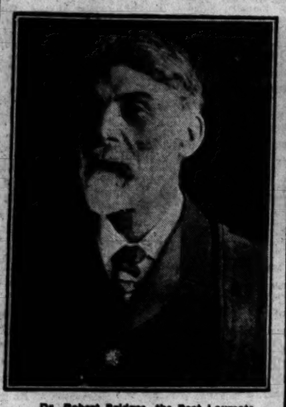
* Asked; † Ex div.; ‡ Ex interest; ‖ Ex rights.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

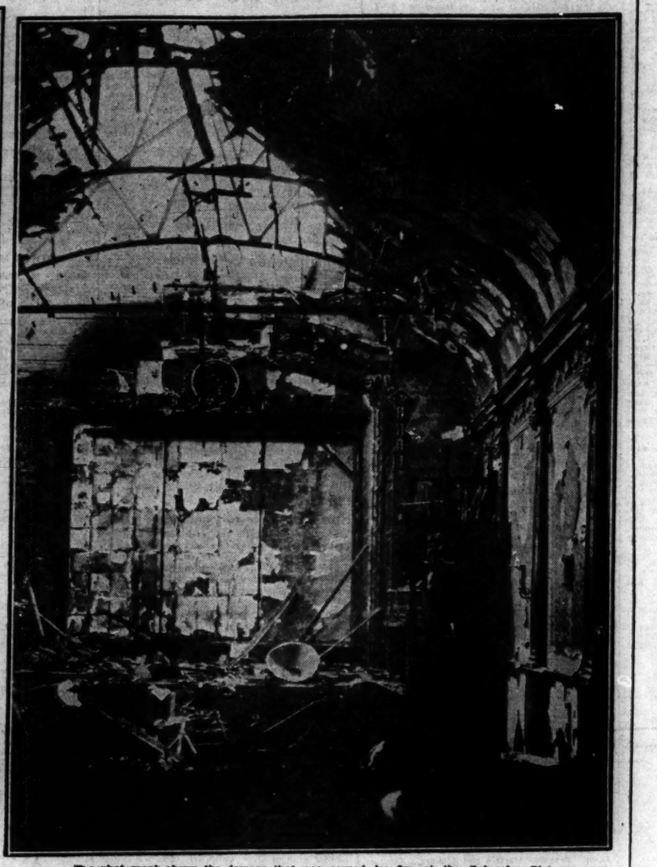
Eqg. Equiv.	Stocks and Shares.	Closing Prices. Tues.	Mon.
133⅛	Abitibi Power & Paper Co., Ltd	130	134¼
37½	Asbestos Corp. of Canada, Ltd.	36½	36¾
93⅛	Do. Pref.	93	93¼
20⅛	Brazilian T. L. & P. Co., Ltd	19⅝	19⅞
1¼	Brit. Empire Steel Corp., Ltd	1¼	1¼
18½	Do. 1st Preference Series B	18	18
1½	Do. 2nd Preference	1½	1½
83⅛	Brompton Pulp & Paper Co., Ltd	82	82¼
24⅝	Canada Cement Co., Ltd.	24⅝	24⅝
129½	Canadian Cottons Co., Ltd.	126	128
38½	Canadian Indus. Alcohol Co.	37	38¼
36	Canada Steamships Lines, Ltd.	35	35
95¾	Do. New 6 p.c.	93¼	93
253½	Con. Mining & Smelt. Co

The Marquis of Cambridge, a brother of the Queen, whose death was announced yesterday.

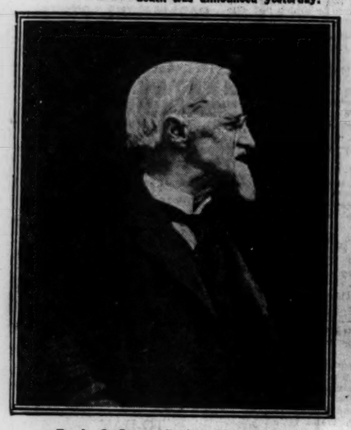
Photograph taken in the Metropolitan Hall, Dublin, yesterday, when the Missionary Exhibition was opened by the Archbishop of Dublin (the Most Rev. Dr. Gregg).



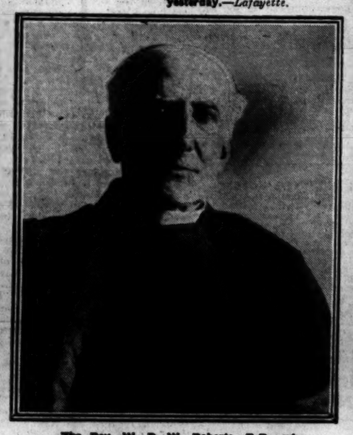
Dr. Robert Bridges, the Poet Laureate, who celebrated his eighty-third birthday yesterday.—*Lafayette.*



The photograph shows the damage that was caused by fire at the Bohemian Picture House, Dublin, on Monday night.



Dr. L. C. Purser, D.Litt., Vice-Provost of Trinity College, Dublin, whose retirement is announced.



The Rev. W. R. W. Roberts, D.D., who has been appointed Vice-Provost of Trinity College in succession to Dr. Purser.

Officers and Committee of the College Historical Society. Sitting (left to right)—J. W. Cusack, Correspondence Secretary; O. W. McCutcheon (Sch.), Treasurer; S. W. Lloyd (Sch.), Auditor; G. J. Polly (Sch.), Record Secretary; R. C. Ellis, Librarian. Standing—C. W. C. Quin, I. H. Barry, M. J. Hogan (Sch.), K. F. Power, J. M. Dudley and N. S. Price.

The Duke of York at the subbing meet of the Quorn at Wymeswold, Leicestershire.

TYRONE COUNTY COUNCILLOR RESIGNS.

Mr. Arthur Coyle, County Councillor for Aughnacloy division, wrote to Tyrone County Council resigning his membership of the Council, and enclosing a cheque for £25 to meet the statutory fine in accordance with the terms of the recent Local Government Act. It was decided to accept his resignation, and when a proposal to remit the fine was objected to by Mrs. Lynch on the grounds that notice of motion was necessary, notice of motion was then given for the next meeting.

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BROADCASTING.

TO-DAY.

DUBLIN (2RN)—319.1 Metres.

1.30-2.0—Weather Report and Gramophone Record Recital. 6.0—Gramophone Record Recital. 6.15—Uair i dTir an n-og: Michael O Siocfhradha. Laela Fineborg, Sheilagh Richards. 7.0—Household Talk. 7.10—Talk, Home Dressmaking, Mary B. Saunders. "To Make a Simple Blouse Frock." 7.30—Guedhilg. Michael O Maolain as Arainn. 7.45—German, O. von Wenckstern. 8.0—Station Orchestra, Instrumental Variety: Overture, "Light Cavalry" (Suppe); Descriptive Idyll, "A Forest Wooing" (Ancliffe); Polonaise from "Eugene Oregin" (Tchaikowsky). 8.30—Agnes Charleston, Belfast (mezzo-soprano): "The Silver Ring" (Chaminade), "The Willow Tree" (D. Kahn). "Sing, Joyous Bird" (M. F. Phillips). "Linden Lea" (R. V. Williams). 9.45—Station Orchestra, Waltzes: "Valse Lyrique" (Sibelius). "Valse Idylle" (Razigade), "Valse Lente" (Merikanto). 8.50—Arnold Taylor, Manchester (baritone): "Litany" (Wanderer), "Ave Maria" (Schubert). 9.0—Station Orchestra, Orchestral Impressions: "Fumeries" (Fourdrain), "Ma belle qui danse" (Westerpost), "Carilloneur" (Ganwin), "Baudeilleurs" (Billi). 9.30—Arnold Taylor, Manchester (baritone): "Simon the Cellarer" (A. L. Hatton), "The Ballad Monger" (E. Martin), "King Charles" (M. V. White), "The Drinking Song of Ralph" (The Fair Maid of Perth) (Bizet). 9.40—Dorothy Day and Haviland Jackson: "The Dyspeptics" (Illiginbotham) (French). 10.0—Hilda Shea (piano) and Queenie Shea (soprano). Vocal and Instrumental Offerings: "Summer-time—Song Cycle" (L. Ronald). "Ballade in G minor" (Grieg). 10.25—Station Orchestra. 10.30—Weather Forecast.

BELFAST (2BE)—306.1 Metres (980 Kc.).

12.0-1.0-2.30—London Programme. 4.30—Dvorak Programme by the Station Orchestra. 5.0—Miss H. D. Crofton, "The Never-never Land." 5.15—Children. 6.0—London Programme. 6.30—From London. 7.45—Talbot O'Farrell. 8.0—From Manchester. 9.0—From London. 9.35—From Manchester. 10.30-11.0—From London.

LONDON (2LO)—361.4 Metres (830 Kc.) and DAVENTRY (5XX)—1,604.3 Metres (187 Kc.).

10.30 a.m. (Daventry only)—Greenwich Time and Weather. 11.0 (Daventry only)—Daventry Quartet and Jennie Bleasdale (soprano). 12.0—London Radio Dance Band. 1.0-2.0—Camille Couturier's Orchestra. 2.30—Mr. A. Lloyd James—English Language. 3.50—Music. 5.0—Mr. Aubrey de Selincourt—Three Plays of Shakespeare: "Twelfth Night," Act II., Scene 5. 5.30—Daventry Quartet. 5.45—Sir W. Beach Thomas—"Familiar Birds and Beasts of the Countryside: V., Bats as Connecting Links." 6.0—A Light Classical Concert—Daventry String Quartet, Anna Pillipova (soprano), Edward Mitchell (pianoforte). 6.15—Children. 6.0—Organ Recital by Reginald Foort. 6.30—Royal Horticultural Society. 6.30—Greenwich Time, Weather and News. 6.45—Organ Recital by Reginald Foort (continued). 7.0—General P. B. C. Groves, Sec.-General of the Air League of the British Empire: "What of the Air?" 7.15—Haydn Piano Sonatas, played by E. Kendall-Taylor. 7.35—Dr. W. A. Potts—"Development of Mind and Character: V., The Nervous Adolescent" (from Birmingham). 7.45—Helen Henschel (soprano). 8.0—"La Traviata" (from Manchester). Players—Gertrude Johnson, Parry Jones, Lee Thistlethwaite, Wilfred Hindle, Herbert Ruddock, Gladys Palmer and Station Chorus; Augmented Station Orchestra. 9.0—Weather and News. 9.15—"Ourselves as Others see us": I., Madame Aino Kallas. 9.30—Daventry only)—Shipping Forecast. 9.35—"La Traviata" (continued). 10.30-11.0—Variety: Julian Rose (Hebrew comedian); the Four Admirals. 11.0-12.0—Daventry only)—Dance Music: The Cecilians.

DAVENTRY EXPERIMENTAL (5GB)—491.8 Metres (610 Kc.).

3.0—Chamber Music (from Birmingham)—The Dora M. Phillips Trio: Miss G. Lones (violin), Miss G. Berry (violoncello), Mrs. D. M. Phillips (pianoforte). Esther Coleman (contralto). London Radio Dance Band. Gladys Merredew (entertainer), Robbie Saunders (light baritone). 5.45—Children. 6.30—Greenwich Time, Weather and News. 6.45—Bishop and Benedict (from Birmingham)—Studio Orchestra, Harry Brindle (bass). Chorus. 8.0—The Casano Octet, Elsa Karen (pianoforte), Joseph Slater (flute). Readings by Mr. J. C. Stobart from "Trivia," by Logan Pearsall Smith. 10.0—Weather and News. 10.15-11.15—Dance Music: The Cecilians.

BOURNEMOUTH (6BM)—288.1 Metres. (930 Kc.).

12.0-1.0—Gramophone Records. 5.15—Children. 6.0—From London. 6.0—From Manchester. 9.0—From London. 9.35—From Manchester. 10.30-11.0—From London.

CARDIFF (5WA)—353 Metres (850 Kc.).

4.0—Tom Jones and Orchestra. 5.0—A Pianoforte Recital. 5.15—Children. 6.0—From London. 9.0—From Manchester. 9.0—From London. 9.35—From Manchester. 10.30-11.0—From London.

MANCHESTER (2ZY)—384.6 Metres. 780 Kc.

12.0-1.0—Gramophone Records. 4.0—Orchestral. 5.0—Jean Rostron (contralto). 5.15—Children. 6.0—Pat Ryan's Orchestra. 6.30—From London. 6.45—Pat Ryan's Orchestra (continued). 7.0—From London. 8.0—"La Traviata" (see London Programme). 9.0—From London. 9.35—"La Traviata" (continued). 10.30-11.0—From London.

NEWCASTLE (5NO)—312.5 Metres.

960 Kc.

12.0-1.0—Gramophone Records. 4.0—Music. 5.0—Reading—Short Story. 5.15—Children. 6.0—Station Octet. 6.20—From London. 8.0—From Manchester. 9.0—From London. 9.35—From Manchester. 10.30-11.0—From London.

LIVERPOOL (6LV)—297 Metres.

1,010 Kc.

3.0—Crane's Matinée Concert: Albert Voorsanger (solo violin), Miranda M. Palmer (soprano), Walter Wright (accompanist), relayed from Crane Hall: Kathleen Friar-Smith (pianoforte). 3.45—London Programme. 5.15—Children. 6.0—From London. 8.0—From Manchester. 9.0—From London. 9.35—From Manchester. 10.30-11.0—From London.

GLASGOW (5SC)—405.4 Metres (740 Kc.).

12.0-1.0—Gramophone Records. 3.15—Broadcast to Schools. 3.55—Concert: Wireless Quintet, George Douglas (tenor). 5.0—Familiar Birds and Beasts of the Countryside, by Sir W. Beach Thomas. 5.15—Children. 5.58—Weather Forecast for Farmers. 6.0—London Programme. 6.20—Mr. Dudley V. Howells: Horticulture. 6.30—From London. 6.45—Juvenile Organisation Bulletin. 7.0—From London. 7.45—Scottish Humour Series (24). 8.0—From Manchester. 9.0—From London. 9.30—Calendar of Great Scots—Baroness Nairn. 9.35—From Manchester. 10.30-11.0—Station Orchestra.

A RESEARCH PRIZEMAN.

Dr. William J. Maguire, M.A., Barrister-at-Law, of 40 Millmount avenue, Drumcondra, Dublin, a Senior Moderator in Economics, Political and Legal Science, who has also distinguished himself by taking the Classed LL.B. and LL.D. Degrees, as well as the Classed and Honours B.A. Degree of Dublin University, has now been awarded a £25 prize for advanced historical research work. Dr. Maguire is an official in the Revenue Commissioners' Department, Dublin Castle.

Major T. A. Thornton, 7th Hussars, has been promoted to command his regiment in place of Lieutenant-Colonel the Hon. D. P. Tollemache, whose tenure of office expired on the 23rd inst.

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, DUBLIN.

"IRISH BUILDER" MEASURED DRAWINGS PRIZES.

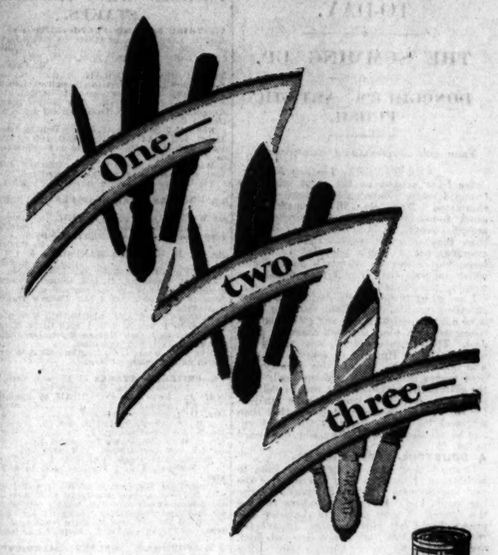
Mr. George P. Sheridan, A.R.I.B.A., late President of the Royal Institute of Architects of Ireland, assessed in the studio of the School of Architecture, University College, Dublin, the various drawings submitted by students in competition for the prize offered by the proprietors of the *Irish Builder*, for the best set of drawings submitted under the regulations of University College School, for measured drawings of a building or portion of a building of historic importance in Dublin.

There were eight sets of drawings, and the authors of six of them took advantage, through the courtesy of the Office of Works and the contractors, of scaffolding being erected at the General Post Office to measure this important building. The other two competitors made measured drawings of a fine old Georgian mansion, 86 St. Stephen's Green.

The assessor awarded the first prize to Mr. Norman D. Good, a non-matriculated second-year student of the College, a pupil in a Dublin architect's office, for a fine set of drawings of the Post Office. The second prize was awarded to Mr. G. H. Stubbs, also a second-year non-matriculated student and a pupil in another Dublin office, for an excellent set of drawings of the same subject, which ran the winner very close.

Mr. J. O'Gorman, a first-year matriculated student of the College, was highly commended for his drawings of 86 St. Stephen's Green.

All the competitors were first or second-year matriculated and non-matriculated students of the College, but the prize was open to all students in Ireland.



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FINAL EXAMINATIONS, 1927.

The following are the results of the final examinations, 1927:—

M. O'Driscoll—John Brooks Scholarship.
P. W. Joyce—Society's Exhibition.
T. J. Conaghy—Society's Prize.

The foregoing were awarded First-Class Certificates of Honour.

Second-Class Certificates of Honour—J. Herlihy, P. F. Branigan, Miss Ita Malone, P. J. Trodden, and M. F. O'Donnell.

Third-Class Certificates of Honour—A. O'Connor, W. Smyth, P. Duffy, W. O'B. Fitzgerald, F. D. McCarthy Morrough, and M. McDunphy.

Pass—T. Sugrue, A. Malcolmson, John B. Coghlan, R. C. Sainsbury, J. F. Sweeney, T. MacNeill, J. N. Scanlon, D. R. Campbell, H. A. Bonner, G. R. Dobbyn, J. Belton, M. J. O'Driscoll, T. E. Galvin, G. B. Hanna, M. V. McKay, D. Fawsett, R. St. Adamson, J. A. O'Hanrahan, J. J. Hooper, Miss McMeekin, T. Killeen, R. Hall, B. W. Crean, P. J. Crumb, O. Adefolu, T. MacLysaght, S. H. M. Webb, J. J. L. Gibson, T. McCracken.

Messrs. R. E. H. Stack and M. J. Molloy, formerly solicitors, passed the examination.

WARE OF I.R.A."

HER THREATENING R CASE AT ROSCREA.

...rea District Court yesterday ...elan, Church street, Roscrea, was ...e trial to the Circuit Court on ...having, in December, 1921, and ...dates in the years 1922, '23, '24, '27, uttered letters demanding ...s various sums of money from ...ffith, Aghsmear, Roscrea; of ...eatened to publish a libel on ...inson, deceased, an of having ...December, 1921, £135 from the ...iss Griffith, and, by menaces and ... Miss Griffith in bodily fear. At ...court Whelan had been returned ... a charge of sending letters con...eats to John Dart, Roscrea, and ... to destroy his bakery and bakery ...He is a carpenter and contractor

...ffith, examined, stated that in the ...December, 1921, she got an un..., and, as a result, obtained £135 ...ank in Roscrea, placed the money ...etter in an envelope, and left it ...ch of her house, with the outside ... This was in pursuance of direc... in the letter. She then went for ...d when she returned the envelope ...etter and money was gone. She ...rsuance of directions in the letter, ...anded of her that she should ... the £135 or prepare to cater for ...our volunteers." "Make your ...either of those proposals," the ...ed, "but beware of the I.R.A. ...our visitor are ordered to go for ...tween the hours of three and five ...aving your door of front porch ...he answer to the demand to be ...The remainder of your house may ...ned."

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GOSSIP FROM THE COURSE.

CAMBRIDGESHIRE TO-DAY.

THE SUMMING UP.

DONOGHUE'S ARTISTIC FINISH.

FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.

NEWMARKET, Tuesday Night.

We have arrived at the stage when the Cambridgeshire improbables have to be eliminated. The field will be smaller than usual to-morrow, and should number just around twenty. It is a field poorer in class than that of other years. There is, for example, not a single exponent of classic form, nor is there a top-notch handicapper, which suggests that it will take rather less winning than usual.

I am going to be greatly daring and throw out the favourite, Weissdorn, although there is no doubt that his trainer and jockey and all concerned with him fancy his chance a great deal. This German animal, who is, by the way, distinctly Hunnish in aspect, has only won once since he came to this country just over twelve months ago, and then only beat the plater, Bright Land, by a narrow margin. I believe I mentioned here when he ran first for the Grosvenor Cup that 8st. rather than 9st. was his proper mark in the handicap, and he has steadily worked his way downward to 8st. 2lb.

A DOUBTFUL IMPROVEMENT.

Granted that it took him some time to acclimatise, I cannot accept the story of the vast improvement that this five-year-old horse has made, and will look somewhere else for the winner. I shall not be in the least surprised should last year's winner, Insight II., reverse the Select Stakes running with him, even though he meets him on 6lb. worse terms. Insight II. is well fancied to win again.

Inca is the candidate who has made all the late stir, and she is almost certain to be a good second favourite to-morrow. She is very well, has so far escaped the coughing in the Manton stable, is a mare with a creditable record, and likes the softish ground such as we shall have to-morrow; so that most things are in her favour.

I would like the chance of Fohanaun better had his preparation gone smoothly since he won here at the First October Meeting, but it has not, and he did not please everyone who saw him gallop with Pantera on Sunday. Pantera went quite as well as he did, and Pantera has suggested by his public running this season that he has lost all his good form of last year.

AN ATTRACTIVE CANDIDATE.

I suggested Silver Lark as an attractive candidate here a month ago, and those who supported him at the price then current have nice hedging. He is well, has been well backed by his connections, and will stay the course. Gordon Richards, I believe, is not very much wrapped up in his mount, but, then, he did not like his chance when he won the Liverpool Cup on him, and tried hard to get off to ride Inca.

Orbindos may not quite get the course, and it is said that the most likely candidate from the centre where he is trained—Lambourn—is Mr. James de Rothschild's Caporal, a staying three-year-old, who is genuinely fancied to run into a place at least. Medal I can give some chance to, and also to Curialis, who has a pound or two in hand of him on the book through their running with Sundry.

BEST OF THE LIGHT WEIGHTS.

The Prince Galahad colt, Heir Apparent, will be well suited by the going, and is fancied a little; but the one I like best among the light-weights is All's Blue, a filly by Buchan, out of the Cambridgeshire winner, Eos. Her trainer has satisfied himself that she will get the distance, and the trial she won was exceptionally good.

I have no valid reason for departing from SILVER LARK, and will couple him with INCA. ALL'S BLUE should fill the other place.

After a wretched morning the weather was pleasantly fine for the opening of the Houghton meeting this afternoon; the racing, however, was a little flat. The star performer was Hot Night, but only Baralong opposed him in the Limekiln Stakes. The Gay Crusader colt looked very well and full of life, and he won comfortably enough, but he changed his legs twice between the bushes and the winning post, which suggested that he would not have taken a great deal of beating.

A PRETTY FINISH.

One of the prettiest finishes of the day was that for the Rutland Handicap, in which Donoghue on Burnside beat Richards on Great Sand by a head. Donoghue may not ride as many winners as Richards in these days, but the old champion still does not ask for points from the new when it comes to timing his effort. He judged the situation to-day with the most perfect accuracy, and got up in the last ten yards to run Lord Londesborough's gelding out of it.

The Criterion Stakes was won very easily by the Aga Khan's Phalaris colt, Farhad, who beat Norwest by three lengths after being always in front. Tetrill, who had run Scuttle to a head at the last meeting, finishing third. This was a useful race for colts.

Colonel Charteris won the Fordham Welter with Silver Lark's half-brother, Toureen, who, carefully nursed by Childs, came from behind to get up and win by a neck from Joliment—a useful performance, for he was giving the second exactly a stone. The colt has been a little disappointing more than once this season, but it seems that five furlongs is his best distance. Donoghue, who was third on Merriment, objected to the first two for boring and crowding, but the protest was not upheld by the Stewards.

WON BY A NECK.

Form in the Old Nursery Stakes, which Silway won by a neck from Bar One, worked out well, for Silway had dead-heated with Troubadour in a mile nursery at the last meeting, and at the meeting before in a similar event Bar One had beaten Troubadour. The latter ran a little below his form here, a circumstance due probably to his accident last week.

The French colt, Cramick, was again supported in the Feltham Stakes, but he missed a place even, and Mr. J. B. Joel's Philammon won a little cleverly from Waning Day, the form in the race being very moderate.

The next most interesting thing to the Cambridgeshire to-morrow will be the appearance of THE HERMIT II. in the Moulton Stakes, which I expect to see him win easily. In the Scarborough Stakes LINATORA is thought to be a good thing, and the Prince Galahad filly, LA CHANCE, may win the New Nursery Stakes. ROSE RED may be the best in an open race for the Houghton Handicap.

GALTEE MORE.

FORM HORSES

NEWMARKET.

1.15—John o' London.
1.45—Invermark.
2.15—Take a Glass (nap).
2.50—Weissdorn, 1; Insight II., 2; Silver Lark, 3.
3.30—The Hermit II.
4.0—Linatora.

Eclipse.

ROWING.

DUBLIN UNIVERSITY BOAT CLUB.

At the annual general meeting of Dublin University B.C., held in Trinity College, H. L. Dixon was elected captain for the season 1927-28, and R. J. F. Mayston, hon. secretary.

NEWMARKET MEETING

FARHAD WINS CRITERION STAKES.

1.0—TRIAL SELLING PLATE of 200 sovs. 1 m.

Mrs. L. Lyssaght's b. c. JUGO, by Son-in-Law —Slovene, 3, 9-5 ..... C. Elliott 1
Sir A. Bailey's BUCKS YEOMAN, 6, 9-12 ..... B. Carslake 2
Mr. J. P. Hornung's IOLAIR, 6, 8-11 ..G. Lane 3

Also ran—L'Habit Vert (S. Donoghue), Lanchester (J. Childs), Marie Rocket (H. Jelliss), Fond Memories (G. Baines), The Yellow Earl (G. Richards), Saddlery (J. Thwaites). Off 1.2. (Winner trained by Watts.)

Betting—7 to 4 agst. Bucks Yeoman, 9 to 2 JUGO, 100 to 14 The Yellow Earl, 100 to 12 each Iolair and Marie Rocket, 30 to 1 Lanchester, 100 to 7 any other.

Won by half a length; three lengths. L'Habit Vert was fourth and The Yellow Earl last.

The winner was bought in for 370 guineas.

1.30—RUTLAND HANDICAP PLATE of 400 sovs.

Sir W. Gilbey's ch. g. BURNSIDE, by Bridge of Earn—Nalena, 4, 8-4 ..... S. Donoghue 1
Lord Londesborough's GREAT SAND, 5, 7-5 ..... Frank Butters 2
Mr. W. M. 'G. Singer's KAKUSHIN, 4, 7-9 ..... J. Sirett 3

Also ran—Masked Ruler (C. Elliott), The Wolf (Boullion), Samphire II. (J. Childs), Adage (C. Smirke), Tetrill (F. Fox), Longquill (Beary), Gipsy King (T. Weston). Off 1.34. (Winner trained by T. Cannon.)

Betting—7 to 2 agst. BURNSIDE, 9 to 2 Great Sand, 6 to 1 Yutrill, 7 to 1 each Gipsy King and Adage, 10 to 1 each Masked Ruler, Longquill and Kakushin, 100 to 7 any other.

Won by a head; three lengths. Gipsy King was fourth and Samphire II. last.

2.0—CRITERION STAKES of 15 sovs. each, with 300 sovs. added. Two years old. 6 f.

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Mrs. D. Harris's NOR'WEST, 8-5 ..... J. Childs 2
Mr. R. D. Cohen's TETRILL, 8-4 ..S. Donoghue 3
Mr. S. Joel's Porthole, 8-11 ..... F. Winter 0
Mr. C. W. S. Whitburn's Townsman, 8-5 .. F. Fox 0
Off 2.2. (Winner trained by R. Dawson.)

Betting—5 to 4 agst. FARHAD, 2 to 1 Tetrill, 6 to 1 Nor'west, 8 to 1 Porthole, 100 to 8 Townsman.

Farhad set the pace from Tetrill and Porthole, with Nor'west in close attendance, until approaching the bushes, where the Aga Khan's colt increased his lead, and, comfortably holding off Nor'west and Tetrill up the hill won by three lengths; a length separated second and third. Porthole was fourth.

2.30—FORDHAM WELTER HANDICAP, a sweepstakes of 10 sovs. each, with 200 sovs. added 5 f.

Colonel Charteris's br. c. TOUREEN, by Tetratema—Laverock, 3, 8-13 ..... J. Childs 1
Mr. A. W. Gordon's JOLIMENT, 3, 7-15 ..... R. Perryman 2
Sir F. Eley's MERRIMENT, 4, 9-6 ..S. Donoghue 3

Also ran—Gara de Faisan (J. Leach), Pinault (H. Wragg), Charmant (E. Leach), Nadia (F. Winter), Pheidon (M. Beary), Warriot's Star (B. Carslake), Mating Parade (J. Bullock), Fire Captain (C. Elliott), Proconsul (J. Kirby), Prince Rudolph (F. Fox), Fritters (J. Caldwell). Off at 3.3. (Winner trained by Boyd-Rochfort.)

Betting—5 to 1 agst. Joliment, 11 to 2 Pheidon, 8 to 1 Fire Captain, 10 to 1 each TOUREEN and Pinault, 100 to 8 Charmant, 100 to 7 any others.

Won by a neck; two lengths. Warrior's Star was fourth and Pinault last.

An objection by the rider of Merriment to the second and third for boring and shutting out was overruled.

3.0—OLD NURSERY STAKES (handicap) of 10 sovs. each, with 200 sovs. added. 1 m.

Mr. R. D. Cohen's b. f. SILWAY, by Silvern—Wayzgoose, 7-3 ..... G. Baines 1
Mr. S. C. Ismmon's BAYONNE, 9-0 B. Carslake 2
Mr. S. Wootton's RATHDORA, 8-9 ..... Tuttle 3

Also ran—Kiltough Castle (F. Lane), Kniphofia (T. Rimell), Troubadour (G. Richards), First Flight (J. Read), Potato Beetle (T. Weston), Green Eagle (W. Stephenson), Crecy (F. Powell), Rochelle g. (A. Wragg), Helenus (S. Berry), Syntony (G. Morris). Off at 3.34. (Winner trained by R. Day.)

Betting—9 to 2 agst. Bar One, 6 to 1 each SILWAY and Green Eagle, 7 to 1 each Rathdora and Troubadour, 8 to 1 Kniphofia, 10 to 1 each First Flight and Helenus, 100 to 6 any other.

Won by a neck; four lengths. Green Eagle was fourth and Potato Beetle last.

3.30—DALHAM STAKES of 6 sovs. each, with 200 sovs. added. 5 f.

Mr. J. B. Joel's b. c. PHILAMMON, by Sansstar—Hypatia, 9-9 ..... B. Carslake 1
Lady Ludlow's WANING DAY, 8-0 M. Beary 2
Lt. Londonderry's BERNADOTTE, 3, 9-9 ..... H. Wragg 3

Also ran—Cramick (C. Elliott), Gourd (C. Smirke), Lemon Rar (R. Jones), Lawson (H. Leach), Sarn Hill (F. Perryman), Destroyer (Frank Flowers), Medarlin (C. Hall). Off 3.31. (Winner trained by C. Peck.)

Betting—5 to 4 agst. PHILAMMON, 7 to 4 Cramick, 7 to 1 Gourd, 10 to 1 Bernadotte, 20 to 1 any other.

Won by half a length; a neck. Cramick was fourth, and Sarn Hill last.

4.0—LIMEKILN STAKES of 20 sovs. each, with 300 sovs. added. 1 m.

Sir V. Sassoon's b. c. HOT NIGHT, by Gay Crusader—Tubbererry, 3, 8-4 ..... R. Carslake 1
Mr. A. R. Cox's BARALONG, 3, 8-13 J. Childs 2
Off 4.3 s. (Winner trained by Crawford.)

Betting—4 to 1 on HOT NIGHT.

Won by six lengths.

COURSE BETTING.
CAMBRIDGESHIRE STAKES.

1000 to 200 Weissdorn, taken.
1000 to 120 Inca, taken four times.
1250 to 100 Fohanaun, taken, after 2,500 to 250 laid.
1000 to 100 Orbindos, taken.
2500 to 200 Silver Lark, taken.
1000 to 60 Insight II., taken.
1000 to 100 Medal, taken.

LONDON BETTING—YESTERDAY.

WEISSDORN STILL FAVOURITE.

There was a good gathering at the Victoria Club last evening for the final call-over on the Cambridgeshire, many very influential members being present. Weissdorn was easy at 11 to 2, but Inca was in strong demand, being backed to win a good sum at 100 to 14 down to 13 to 2. Fohanaun opened at 8 to 1, and was supported down to 13 to 2, with about £6,000. Orbindos was mildly supported at 100 to 9. Caporal opened at 20 to 1, and closed at 100 to 6, after being backed to win amounts of £6,000. Silver Lark was decidedly easy at 100 to 6. As was Insight II. at 18 to 1. Small money only was invested on the remaining candidates. Details as follow:—

CAMBRIDGESHIRE STAKES.

RUN TO-DAY.—The sale ones farlong.
11 to 2 Weissdorn, taken and offered.
13 to 2 Inca, taken and offered.
8 to 1 Fohanaun, taken and offered.
100 to 9 Orbindos, taken and offered.
100 to 6 Silver Lark, taken and offered.
100 to 7 Insight II., taken and offered.
18 to 1 All's Blue, taken and offered.
200 to 6 Caporal, taken and offered.
50 to 1 Medal, taken and offered.
28 to 1 Heir Apparent, taken and offered.
28 to 1 Volta's Pride, taken and offered.
33 to 1 Niantic, taken and offered.
33 to 1 Enchantress, taken and offered.
33 to 1 San Yat-sen, taken and offered.
33 to 1 Ilera, taken and offered.
40 to 1 Curialis, offered.
40 to 1 Prester John, offered.
50 to 1 Kitty III., taken and offered.
50 to 1 Masked Marvel, offered.
50 to 1 Cetch, taken and offered.

BEAUFORT CLUB CALL-OVER.

11 to 2 Weissdorn, taken and offered.
Y to 1 Inca, offered (6 to 1 wanted).
8 to 1 Fohanaun, offered (9 to 1 wanted).
100 to 9 Orbindos, taken and offered.
100 to 8 Silver Lark, offered (100 to 7 taken and wanted).
100 to 6 Insight II., offered.
18 to 1 All's Blue, taken and offered.
20 to 1 Medal, taken and offered.
20 to 1 Caporal, taken and offered.
25 to 1 Niantic, offered.
28 to 1 Heir Apparent, taken and offered.
28 to 1 Enchantress, offered.
33 to 1 Curtis, taken and offered.
33 to 1 Ilera, taken and offered.
33 to 1 Volta's Pride, taken and offered.
33 to 1 San Yat-sen, taken and offered.
40 to 1 Curialis, offered (after 33 to 1 taken).
40 to 1 Prester John, taken and offered.
40 to 1 Kitty III., taken and offered.
40 to 1 Masked Marvel, offered.
66 to 1 Cetch, taken and offered.

The business transacted was small. Nothing calls for special mention.

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SPECIAL SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY.

Westminster Gazette :—To-day's Best—Linatora. Double—La Chance and Linatora.
Daily Express :—Safety Bet — Weissdorn (win). Double—Weissdorn and La Chance.
Daily Mirror :—Double — John o' London (nap) and Linatora.
Daily Sketch :—Double—Weissdorn and La Chance.

NEWMARKET TO-DAY:

PROBABLE RUNNERS AND BETTING.

SELECTIONS.

Maiden T.Y.O. Stakes—Scintillation.
Houghton Handicap—Mallow Bridge.
New Nursery—Thackeray; if absent, Take a Glass.
Cambridgeshire Stakes — Weissdorn*, 1; Heir Apparent, 2; Inca, 3.
Moulton Stakes—The Hermit II.
Scarborough Stakes—Linatora.

DOUBLE—Weissdorn and Scintillation.

1.15—MAIDEN TWO-YEAR-OLD STAKES of 10 sovs. each, with 200 sovs. added. Second 30 sovs. 6f. st. lb.

SOME POWER (Capt. R. B. Brassey) Persse 9 0
ANOTHER HERO (Mrs. E. A. Dodd) ..... Madden 9 0
CAUMSETT (Mr. M. Field) Boyd-Rochfort 9 0
MASTER ORANGE (Sir C. Hyde)....Scobie 9 0
JOHN O' LONDON (Mrs. A. James) ..... Frank Butters 9 0
THE MYTH II. (Mr. A. K. Macomber) ..... Cloot 9 0
VULPES C., by Orpheus (Mr. E. G. de Mestre) ..... De Mestre 9 0
PURPLE WAVE (Sir G. Noble) ..... Dundas 9 0
ROMAN ROUE (Sir V. Sassoon) Crawford 9 0
SILVER SPOON (Mr. H. C. Sutton) T. Waugh 9 0
SCINTILLATION (Mr. C. W. S. Whitburn) ..... Cottrill 9 0
MONARCHY (Mr. F. W. Wilmot) Gwilt 9 0
FOUR IN HAND (Mr. D. L. Wilson) ..... Wilmot 9 0
BONNE SANTER (Homeward Bound F.) (Lord Zetland) ..... Dundas 8 11
HUG (Sir A. Bailey) ..... R. Day 8 11
RUSTY (Mrs. Chester Beatty) ..... H. Leader 8 11
BIRCH COPPICE (Mr. R. D. Cohen) R. Day 8 11
SYNTONY (Sir H. Cunliffe-Owen)...C. Bell 8 11
WHITE SHIELD (Mr. A. Ormsmell) Whitaker 8 11
ALCHEMIST (Mr. C. Glorney) ..... Sneyd 8 11

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting. Forecast.
0	JOHN O' LONDON ..... Weston	5/2
2	THE MYTH II. ..... Thwaites	7/2
0?	PURPLE WAVE	8/1
000	ROMAN ROUE ..... H. Wragg	10/1
43	SILVER SPOON ..... G. Richards	4/1
00	SOME POWER ..... H. Beasley	7/1
0C	VULPES COLT ..... C. Ray	10/1
004	SCINTILLATION ..... J. Leach	5/1
023	FOUR-IN-HAND ..... Smirke	9/2
300	WHITE SHIELD ..... S. Donoghue	10/1
000	ALCHEMIST ..... F. Fox	10/1

1.45—HOUGHTON HANDICAP of 200 sovs. Second receives 20 sovs. 7 f. st. lb.

GOLDEN HOPE II. (Mr. J. Wittouck) ..... In France 6 9 3
VALDORE (Lord Allendale) ...B. Jarvis 5 8 10
INVERMARK (Mr. T. Richards) ..... W Nightingall 6 9 3
RHYOLITE (Mrs. H. E. Beddington) ..... F. Hartigan 5 8 6
ROSE RED (Lord Derby) ..... F. Buckle 5 8 6
CLATTER (Mr. H. Johnstone) ..... Wilmot 5 8 4
HIT HARD (Mrs. F. Hardy) ..... Hogg 5 8 3
STRANGFORD (Mr. A. Walker) ..... Cadwell 5 8 0
ORBITA (Sir A. Butt) ..... Wootton 5 8 0
BACHELOR'S VOW (Mr. A. Lowry) ..... H. Powney 6 7 13
EXCELSIOR (Lady Chesham) S. Darling 5 7 11
INK BOY (Mr. J. S. Austen) C. Waugh 4 7 11
GORRIO (Mr. J. A. Dawson) ..... Dawson 4 7 7
SILVER TOSS (Mr. F. T. Halse) Martin 4 7 7
DAZZLER (Mr. T. Benson) ....E. Wilson 5 7 7
GRANDE (Mr. W. A. Read) ..... A. Read 5 7 7
MALLOW BRIDGE (Mr. S. H. Davies) ..... B. Rochfort 3 7 2
BATTLE-LINE (Mr. A. C. Schwartz) ..... H. Leader 4 7 0
BUZZWING (Mr. W. A. Read) ...H. Leader 4 7 0
LADY RULER (Lord Glanely) ....Archer 4 7 0
FAIR PAULINE (Mr. J. Moseby) Beeby 3 7 0
GOLDEN ALE (Lt.-Col. E. Wallington) ..... F. Leader 4 7 0

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting. Forecast.
60	GOLDEN HOPE II. ..... Allemand	10/1
350	VALDORE ..... Lane	10/1
1	INVERMARK ..... F. Fox	9/1
140	RHYOLITE ..... S. Donoghue	7/1
122	ROSE RED ..... Weston	9/2
001	CLATTER ..... Sneyd	6/1
120	HIT HARD ..... G. Richards	10/1
000	STRATHRO ..... P. Beasley	100/8
030	ORBITA ..... Watson	100/8
200	BACHELOR'S VOW ..... Wadsworth	10/1
000	EXCELSIOR ..... Mitchell	100/8
000	INKY BOY ..... Perryman	100/7
021	GORRIO ..... Caldwell	100/8
000	SILVER TOSS ..... Dines	10/1
044	LEANDER ..... F. Fox	100/7
002	MALLOW BRIDGE ..... Burns	7/1
00	BATTLE-LINE ..... H. Wragg	100/8
020	BATTLELINE ..... A. Wragg	100/7
055	LADY RULER ..... Baines	100/8
000	GOLDEN ALE ..... Lane	100/7
100	BUZZWING ..... Carroll	100/7

2.15—NEW NURSERY STAKES of 10 sovs. each, with 200 sovs. added. Second receives 50 sovs. 5 f. st. lb.

THACKERAY (Mr. S. Wootton) ....Wootton 9 0
BUTTERMERE (Mr. H. Whitbourn) ..... Wilmot 8 12
TAKE A GLASS (Lady H. McCalmont) ..... Persse 8 7
NORWEST (Mrs. D. Harris) ..... Nugent 8 4
SILVER LUTE (Mr. J. W. Harvie) Wilmot 8 4
GRAND PET (Lord Glanely) ..... Hogg 8 2
MELLIN (Mr. Sol Joel) ..... Childs 8 2
LA GRANDE (Sir D. Broughton) ..... Farquharson 7 13
CARAQUETTE (Lord Beaverbrook) C. Leader 7 13
SUSPICION (Mrs. H. E. Beddington) ..... F. Hartigan 7 11
ICE MARK (Lord Hillingdon) ...S. Darling 7 11
MOANKLY (Mr. J. W. Harvie) ....Wilmot 7 11
MITRELLA (Mr. V. D. Mims) ..... Smirke 7 9
PAVIA (Sir Frederick Eley) ..... F. Scott 7 6
LADY ROCK (M. E. Esmond) ....J. Jarvis 7 4
LA CHACE (Mr. J. Walker) ..... Whitaker 7 4
KING'S COLOUR (Mr. H. Cottrill) Cottrill 7 4
CLIO (Sir C. Bailey) ..... R. Day 7 4
QUEEN DESMOND F., by Tracery—Queen Barnby ..... H. Leader 7 3
BERADOTE (Mrs. E. A. Dodd) ..... Pope 7 3
FELSTAR (Sir H. C. Oxley) ..... Bullock 7 3
BREAK OF DAY (Lord Dewar) Pickering 7 2
SEE DIVINA (Sir Percy Newson)...Barling 7 2
RASCAL (Mr. J. A. de Rothschild) ..... Pratt 7 1
NEWBURY (Mr. R. D. Cohen) ..... R. Day 6 10
ORPHEAN (Capt. Bewicke) .....Bewicke 6 7

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting. Forecast.
101	TAKE A GLASS ..... H. Beasley	8/1
544	MELLIN ..... R. Jones	8/1
004	CARAQUETTE ..... Perryman	100/7
100	LA GRANDE ..... Beary	100/8
110	SUSPICION ..... S. Donoghue	10/1
003	TRAVERSO ..... Caldwell	100/8
163	ICE MARK ..... Marshall	8/1
021	MITRELLA ..... Weston	10/1
000	PAVIA ..... F. Donoghue	100/7
325	LA CHANCE ..... A. Burns	4/1
001	KING'S COLOUR ..... F. Fox	7/1
565	LADY ROCK ..... Sirett	100/7
001	LAIR ..... Dines	5/1
022	QUEEN DESMOND ..... F. Bginee	8/1
020	BREAK OF DAY ..... Hogg	100/7
320	ARS DIVINA ..... Robertson	100/7
42	KING ..... F. Wragg	100/8
300	ORPHEAN ..... Stephenson	100/7

2.50—CAMBRIDGESHIRE STAKES, a handicap of 25 sovs. each, 10 ft., with 1,000 sovs. added. Second to receive 300 sovs., and third 100 sovs. 1m. 1f.

PROBABLE STARTERS AND JOCKEYS.

INSIGHT II., by Oversight—Court Dress (Mr. A. K. Macomber), 6, 8-5 (Clout) ..... Thwaites
MASKED MARVEL by McKinley—Mahkara (Mr. A. K. Macomber), 5, 8-5 (Cloot) ..... Childs
WEISSDORN, by Invincible—Deiza (Mr. R. Walker), 5, 9-3 (A. Taylor) ..... Elliott
FOHANAUN, by Glaucus—Thistle (Mr. S. Joel), 4, 8-0 (inc. 5lb.) (Rat) ..... F. Fox
SILVER LARK, by Silvern—Laverock (Mrs. Wayzgoose), 3, 7-11 (M. Hartigan) G. Richards
KITTY III., by Ayala—Kirin (Mr. A. Whitbourn), 4, 7-13 (Charlier) ..... S. Donoghue
VOLTA'S PRIDE, by Volta—Scarrietta (Mr. E. L. Short), 4, 7-11 (W. Nightingall) ..... R. Perryman
ORBINDOS, by Flying Orb—Farindon (Mr. R. Coulson), 4, 7-9 (Gwilt) ..... A. Day
MEDAL, by Happy Warrior—Honour (Mrs. Cecil Boyd-Rochfort), 3, 7-11 (M. Beary) ..... J. Caldwell
PRESTER JOHN, by Buchan—Perfection (Lady Nunburnholme), 3, 7-3 (Boyd-Rochfort) ..... F. Field
CAPORAL, by Passebreuil—Birdseye (Mr. J. de Rothschild), 3, 7-1 (Pratt) ..S. Wragg
ALL'S BLUE, by Buchan—Eos (Lord Wimborne), 3, 6-12 (J. Jarvis) ..... J. Sirett
HEIR APPARENT, by Prince Galahad—Orby's Queen (Mr. F. Schaverien), 3, 6-12 (Moreton) ..... J. Dines
CURIALIS, by Spion Kop—Curia (Mr. A. W. Gordon), 3, 6-12 (F. Leader) ..... H. Leader 3

SUN YAT-SEN, by Santoi—Nesta (Mrs. E. Whitburn), 4, 6-11 (Cottrill) ..... A. Berry
CETER, by Greenback—Celandine (Mr. F. Gretton), 4, 6-11 (Moreton) ...K. Robertson
ESCLARMONDE, by Sunstar—Desmond Lassie (M. M. Boussac), 3, 6-7 (S. Darling) ..... G. Baines
HERA, by Skyrocket—Helenora (Sir W. Cooper), 3, 6-7 (Platt) ..... W. Alford
NIANTIC, by Stefan Batory—Regalia (Mr. J. Sharp), 4, 6-3 (Walters) W. Stephenson
CAUSTIC, by Argo—Graphite (Mr. N. H. Walker), 3, 6-0 (I. Anthony) ..... A. Wragg

BETTING FORECAST.

Insight II.	100/6	Caporal	20/1
Masked Marvel	33/1	All's Blue	20/1
Weissdorn	9/2	Heir Apparent	33/1
Inca	8/1	Curialis	33/1
Fohanaun	10/1	San Yat-sen	33/1
Kitty III.	33/1	Cetch	66/1
Silver Lark	100/8	Esclarmonde	40/1
Volta's Pride	33/1	Hera	28/1
Orbindos	9/1	Niantic	25/1
Medal	100/6	Caustic	50/1
Prester John	50/1		

3.30—MOULTON STAKES of 20 sovs. each, with 300 sovs. added. Second 70 sovs., third 30 sovs. 5 f. st. lb.

THE HERMIT II. (Mr. A. K. Macomber) ..... Cloot 9 4
BROADWALK (Mr. J. Dawson) J. Dawson 9 4
TYMPANUM (Lady Horsfall) Wal. Griggs 9 4
CARAQUETTE (Ld. Beaverbrook) C. Leader 8 12
SCINTILLATION (Mr. C. W. S. Whitburn) ..... Cottrill 8 3
LUCCA (Sir A. Bailey) ..... R. Day 8 3
FALKO (H.H. Aga Khan) ..... R. Dawson 8 3
JACK MYTTON (Mr. E. F. Gilpin) ...Gilpin 8 3
FASTER (Mr. R. D. Cohen) ..... R. Day 8 0
BOURBON (Sir H. Cunliffe-Owen) O. Bell 8 0
BLUE FOX (Mrs. W. Murray) ..... Cottrill 7 11

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting. Forecast.
11	THE HERMIT II. ..... H. Beasley	4/7
145	BROADWALK ..... J. Childs	4/1
240	FALKO ..... Smirke	7/2
020	JACK MYTTON ..... G. Richards	8/1
000	FASTER ..... S. Donoghue	100/8
00	BOURBON ..... L. Brown	100/8
000	LUCCA ..... Dines	10/1

4.0—SCARBROUGH STAKES of 5 sovs. each, with 300 sovs. added. Second 30 sovs., third 10 sovs. 1½ m. st. lb.

JOYOUS GREETING (Mr. F. Wright) ..... Templeman 8 13
LOVE DART (Mr. J. Corrigan) D. Waugh 8 10
BRIGLIADORO (Mr. A. de Rothschild) ..... Watson 8 6
ERNOFF (Mr. Z. G. Michaelides) .....Darling 8 6
GREEN CORAL (Mr. I. Isaacs) .....Hyams 7 13
GIOVANNI (Mr. J. A. de Rothschild) Pratt 7 13
KING SOLOMON (Mr. A. C. Schwartz) ..... H. Leader 7 13
START II. (M. M. Boussac)....S. Darling 7 13
WOOMERAH (Mr. W. M. Singer) A. Taylor 7 13
BUCHAN ARMS (Mr. D. L. Wilson) Wilmot 7 13
CHIAROSCURO (Mr. F. St. Clery) Sneyd 7 13
LINATORA (Lady Ludlow) ..... Waite 7 10
TALUP (Mrs. T. Carthew) Wootton (wr. none.)

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting. Forecast.
000	LOVE DART ..... Elliott	8/1
344	BRIGLIADORO ..... Perryman	9/2
313	ZENOFF ..... Jellies	10/1
023	KING SOLOMAN ..... Marshall	8/1
030	START II. ..... Marshall	7/2
032	GREEN CORAL ..... Sirett	10/1
020	GIOVANNI ..... F. Scott	7/1
430	BUCHAN ARMS ..... G. Richards	6/1
305	CHIAROSCURO ..... A. Burns	10/1
2	LINATORA ..... Lane	11/4

LATEST SCRATCHINGS—Maiden Stakes—Carbineer, New Nursery Stakes—Livid, Cambridgeshire—Foliation, Sun God II., Olive, L'Aretin. Moulton Stakes—Radio, Oreval, Clarion Call. Scarbro' Stakes—Khedive.

SPORTING GOSSIP.

Lancashire v. The Rest.

It is satisfactory to learn that notwithstanding the none too favourable weather experienced the Champion County (Lancashire) and Rest of England match, played at the Oval last month, resulted in a profit of £118. Of this amount the Cricketers' Fund receives one-half, the other half being allocated by the Lancashire C.C. among various charities.

Golden Araby Coughing.

Golden Araby, the smart two-year-old filly owned by Mr. Jesse Brown, is coughing, and consequently will not be submitted for sale at Newmarket to-day. The filly, who has won seven races, value £3,354, this season, will be offered for sale at the Newmarket December Sales.

Cambridgeshire Scratchings.

Bayford and Albanian were struck out of the Cambridgeshire Stakes at 9 a.m. yesterday.

A Record Goes.

C. Marshall, of the Vegetarian Cycling and Athletic Club, beat the 100 miles' bicycle record yesterday. The record, which was held by J. Rossiter, was beaten by 1 min. 35 secs. in 4 hours 32 mins. 3 secs. Marshall had a puncture during his ride.

Closing of Entries.

Owners of now yearlings should note that entries close to-day for several races to be run next season at the Curragh, including the Beginners' Stakes, the Juvenile Stakes, the Waterford Testimonial Stakes, the Marble Hill Stakes, the Railway Stakes, and the Beresford Stakes.

Rumoured Sale of Shelbourne Park.

With reference to the rumoured negotiations for the sale of Shelbourne Park greyhound racing track to the company owning the Park City, London, we were informed by a director of Shelbourne Park that there were no grounds whatever for the report.

The Coughing Epidemic.

Mrs. J. B. Walker's Galadeer left St. Giles on Monday to compete at Newmarket yesterday in the Trial Selling Plate, in which he was to have been ridden by S. Donoghue, but the colt succumbed to the prevalent coughing epidemic after his arrival at Newmarket, and was unable to run. This left Donoghue free to ride Mr. C. Jarvis's L'Habit Vert.

Final Cambridgeshire Gallops.

At Newmarket yesterday the following gallops of Cambridgeshire candidates took place in unpleasant weather conditions:—On the Bury side—S. Darling's Esclarmonde had a good five furlongs gallop. W. C. Earl's Fohanaun, looking well, had a nice gallop over six furlongs. Pantera travelled a mile at a capital pace. J. L. Jarvis's All's Blue went well in a five furlong sprint. F. Leader's Curialis galloped five furlongs briskly. Walter's Niantic took matters easily over six furlongs. On the racecourse side—Clout's Insight II., ridden by Thwaites, had a good five furlongs gallop with Masked Marvel.

New Starting Gate at Newmarket.

There is evidently dissatisfaction in high quarters with the type of starting-gate at present in use on English racecourses. The chief objection to it is the frequent breaking of the tapes. At Newmarket yesterday afternoon a new form of starting-gate was tried in the presence of the Stewards on a part of the heath adjoining the racecourse, but no official pronouncement was made as to the opinions of the Stewards. The apparatus tried yesterday had rope, with rubber ends, substituted for the tape now used.

Mr. S. C. Dawson.

Mr. S. C. Dawson, of the Cloghran Stud, has just returned from England, now convalescent, after undergoing a severe operation

Racehorse Destroyed.

Mr. Gordon Selfridge's horse, Misconduct, which broke down in its race on Monday at Nottingham, was destroyed there yesterday.

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

NEWMARKET MEETING.
Cambridgeshire Stakes—Bayford and Albanian at 9 a.m. yesterday; also Dark Japan.
New Nursery Handicap—Trumpington.
Criterion Nursery Handicap—Bright Ray filly.
Jockey Club Cup—Lone Knight and Romney at 5 a.m. yesterday.
Durham Stakes—Tomeny.
Freckenham Stakes—Eagle Rock.
WINDSOR MEETING.
Juvenile Maiden Plate—Dignified.
Juvenile Plate—Star of Galicia.
Juvenile Handicap—Lady Linsum.
Packington Handicap—Tutbury.
Tamworth Plate—Pompey.
Solihull Nursery Handicap—Reaper, Watch Chain.
WINDSOR MEETING.
Mill Maiden Plate—Reaper.
Castle Selling Handicap—Flag Girl.
Forest Selling Nursery—Love in the Mist.
College Nursery Handicap—Helvia filly.
WORCESTER MEETING.
Willey Welter Handicap—Tullywood, Flying Spray.
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ial report of the Council meeting of the
is Association, which was held at River
e, London, yesterday states that the
on the Esplanade at Bray on the 11th August,
1926, and of having heard the band playing
the two pieces of music mentioned.
Cross-examined by Mr. Battersby, K.C.,
who, with Mr. Dickie, K.C., and Mr. C. S.
Campbell (instructed by Mr. J. M. Magee),
appeared for the defendants, the witness said
that he had been told that the band had a
licence from the plaintiffs to play works in
which they had the copyright on certain
occasions.
Messrs. Paul Lincke and George H.
Clutsam gave evidence of their composition
in the works referred to.
Messrs. Eugene Fraon and Harold R. White
having been examined on behalf of the
plaintiffs,
Mr. Battersby asked for a direction on the
ground that no copyright existed in either of
these cases, and, reviewing the rights in the
1911 Act and the intentions of its provisions,
he said that it was perfectly clear that no
foreigner could obtain copyright in England,
Ireland, Scotland, or Wales unless an Order
in Council had been made. Section 154 of
the 1927 Act ranked with the first section of
the 1911 Act, and at the time that this 154th
Section became law the only persons in this
country who had any copyright were persons
who had published a work in this country,
or, if the work was unpublished, who were
citizens of Saorstat Eireann, or were resident
in this country. Until an Order in Council
was made no copyright existed outside these
lines.
Mr. Justice Johnston—So that at present
a publisher in Dublin might publish Lord
Birkenhead's book in Ireland without any
penalty?
Mr. Battersby—Apparently, at the present
moment.
Mr. Justice Johnston—That is a very
serious situation if your argument is correct.
Mr. Battersby—I admit that.
Mr. Justice Johnston—A Dublin newspaper,
for instance, could lift an article out of *The
Times* and publish it without any penalty?
Mr. Battersby—It might do that far, but I
am not concerned with that. What I am
asking is what is the meaning of the section,
and I submit that it is what I say.
Counsel submitted that as the provisions
of Section 175 of the 1927 Act had not been
carried out, and that until an Order in Council
had been made by the Governor-General,
there was no copyright in these works in the
Irish Free State, and the plaintiffs had not
proved their case.
Mr. Dickie followed on the same side, and
had not concluded when the Court rose.
"CHAROPLANE" ACCIDENT.
DENTIST'S ACTION FAILS.
(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE HANNA AND A JURY.)
An action of Patrick J. Loughran against
William Toft, Sons and Co., Ltd., was heard.
The plaintiff claimed £1,000 damages for
personal injuries sustained by him by the
alleged negligence of the defendants, their
servants, or agents, in the control and
management of a "charoplane" at Rotunda
Gardens, Dublin, on June 6th, 1925.
In his statement of claim the plaintiff set
out that he was a dentist, and prior to the
time of the occurrence he was practising his
profession as assistant to Mr. William
McLarnon, of 56 Lower O'Connell street. On
the 6th of June, 1925, he visited a number
of side-shows owned and managed by the
defendants at the Rotunda Gardens. He paid
for the use of a "charoplane," such "charo-
plane" being a number of chairs suspended
from a circular frame, which was caused to
revolve, drawing the chairs through
mid-air. He alleged that the "charo-
plane" was so negligently and
unskilfully controlled and managed
by the defendants, their operator and ser-
vants that the guard chain on the chair in
which he was seated snapped, causing him to
be thrown from a great height to the ground,
in consequence of which he sustained severe
personal injuries. By reason of such in-
juries he suffered great pain, and was, and
is, disabled, and is prevented from practising
his profession.
The defendants denied that the "charo-
plane" was negligently or unskilfully con-
trolled or managed by them, their operator
or servants, as alleged, or at all. They
also denied that the guard chain on the
chair in which the plaintiff was seated
snapped by reason of the matters alleged. In
short, the defence was a traverse of the
cause of action, the defendants alleging that
plaintiff was guilty of contributory negli-
gence.
Mr. Martin Maguire, K.C., and Mr. Felix
Sherry (instructed by Messrs. Reddin and
Reddin) appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr.
E. Lupton, K.C.; Mr. Dockrell, K.C., and
Mr. R. McLaughlin (instructed by Messrs.
J. H. McLaughlin and Son) for the defen-
dants.
The jury answered the one question sub-
mitted to them, to the effect that the de-
fendants had used reasonable care to see that
the chain was properly secured.
Mr. Justice Hanna accordingly entered
judgment for the defendants.
Mr. Maguire, K.C., asked for a fortnight's
stay of execution, which was granted.
ALLEGED DEFAMATION.
CASE TO BE OPENED AGAIN.
The hearing was to have been resumed of
the action that was begun last Monday, in
which the Irish People's Assurance Company,
Ltd., claimed £5,000 damages against the
City of Dublin Assurance Company, Ltd., for
alleged defamation, which the defendants
denied.
When the case was called it was found that
the foreman of the jury was absent.
Mr. Dickie, K.C., who, with Mr. Henry,
K.C., and Mr. Tobias (instructed by Mr. H.
J. Downey), appeared for the defendants,
said that they were prepared to go on with
the eleven jurors.
Mr. Wood, K.C., who, with Mr. M.
Maguire, K.C., and Mr. Conor Maguire (in-
structed by Mr. Joseph H. Dixon), appeared
for the plaintiffs, suggested that the hearing
should be postponed until 11.30 o'clock.
Mr. Justice Hanna, stating that he could
not detain the jury, discharged them, and
fixed the hearing of the action, which will
begin anew, for this morning.
The foreman of the jury came into Court
at 11.20 o'clock and explained that his
absence had been due to illness in his home.
The judge accepted his explanation.
FARMERS AT LAW.
ACTION FOR ASSAULT.
(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE O'BYRNE AND A JURY.)
A case came on for hearing in which John
Gough, of Chapel street, Lismore, farmer,
claimed damages against Michael Scanlan, of
Ballynelligan, County Waterford, another
farmer, for alleged assault and battery.
The plaintiff alleged that while he was
going towards Lismore on the 12th May,
1926, the defendant struck him with great
violence on the neck, throwing him to the
ground, and then kicked him with force on
the groin. The plaintiff claimed £500 for
medical and surgical expenses and £500 for
injury of a permanent nature.
The defence was a complete traverse of the
alleged cause of action.
Mr. W. J. Gleeson, K.C., and Mr. J. L.
Esmonde (instructed by Messrs. E. A. Ryan
and Co.) appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr.
A. E. Wood, K.C., and Mr. James Rearden
(instructed by Mr. Anthony Carroll) for the
defendant.
The plaintiff and a witness who was called
on his behalf having given evidence, the
further hearing was adjourned until to-day.
INCREASED RENT.
JUDGMENT IN CLONMEL APPEAL
(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE JOHNSTON AND MR. JUSTICE HANNA.)
Reserved judgment was delivered on an
appeal by the plaintiff in the case of Mr.
Joseph C. Higgins, landlord, against Miss
Beatrice Warren, his tenant of the premises,
No. 1 Anne street, Clonmel, Co. Tipperary,
from a decision of Circuit Court Judge
Sealey in which he had refused the plaintiff
to recover £90 9s. 4d., the amount of rent
alleged to be due in respect of the premises
mentioned.
The premises were rented at first at £30
a year, and the rent was subsequently in-
creased under the Increase of Rent Acts to
£45 4s. 8d. The defendant, it was stated,
refused to pay the increased rent, and arrears
accumulated to the amount sued for.
The Circuit Judge gave the plaintiff a
decree for £24 6s. 10d., after having made
certain reductions permitted by the Rent Act
of 1926.
Mr. Justice Johnston and Mr. Justice
Hanna now increased the decree of the
Circuit Judge to £44 14s., having allowed
certain deductions, which it was within the
discretion of the Circuit Judge to make.
Mr. Joseph O'Connor, K.C., and Mr.
Hughes (instructed by Messrs. J. J. O'Shee
and Co.) appeared for the appellant, and Mr.
Connolly (instructed by Mr. J. Reilly) for
the respondent.
AN INCHICORE CINEMA.
PROPRIETOR GETS AN INJUNCTION.
(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE MEREDITH.)
In the case of Robert G. Kirkham, cinema
proprietor, of "Lavelly," Grattan Crescent,
Inchicore, against William O'Dwyer and
Hannah O'Dwyer, of 37 Tyrconnell road,
Inchicore, an application was made on behalf
of the plaintiff for an injunction restraining
the defendants, his tenants, who carry on
the business of butchers on the pre-
mises mentioned, adjoining the plaintiff's
cinema, from entering upon a passage
belonging to the plaintiff between the
premises occupied by the defendants and
the cinema, and from using a doorway
leading from the passage into the defendants'
yard, in contravention of an agreement in
writing, dated 30th October, 1922, entered
into between the parties.
It appeared that the doorway and passage
had been used by the defendants since they
went into possession of the premises adjoining
the cinema; that it was stated that the
defendants had prevented the plaintiff's work-
men from closing up the doorway, which
became necessary, as the intended purchaser
of the cinema at £4,000 had refused to com-
plete the purchase unless he obtained the
exclusive possession of the passage.
It was also stated that the plaintiff had
obtained judgment against the defendants for
arrears of rent.
Mr. Joseph O'Connor, K.C., and Mr.
Lambert Petterson (instructed by Mr. Joseph
C. Erskine) appeared for the plaintiff; and
Mr. William Black (instructed by Mr. John
Moran) for the defendants.
Mr. Justice Meredith granted the injunc-
tion sought, with costs.
TIPPERARY HOUSE PROPERTY.
PRICES OFFERED FOR PURCHASE.
(BEFORE THE CHIEF JUSTICE, MR. JUSTICE FITZGIBBON AND MR. JUSTICE MURNAGHAN.)
In the case of Seshan v. Richard Maher
and others, an appeal was brought by the
defendants from an order made by Mr.
Justice Hanna, Vacation Judge, dated 22nd
of August last, accepting offers which had
been made for certain lots of house property
situated in Fethard, County Tipperary, form-
ing portion of the estate of a deceased
intestate in that town, which also included
some lands in the vicinity, which had been
heavily mortgaged.
The estate had been the subject of con-
siderable litigation, the proceedings having
commenced in 1921, and an order for sale
having been made by Mr. Justice Meredith in
March, 1921. There had been a number of
abortive sales by auction, it was stated; and
no substantial offers had been made for the
property, which was said to be in a ruinous
condition of repair, a statement that was
denied. A receiver had also been appointed
over the property.
It was alleged by the defendants that the
offers accepted by Mr. Justice Hanna for the
lots 1 and 2, 3 and 4 were wholly inadequate,
having regard to the value of the premises.
The offers were:—Lots 1 and 2, £600; Lot 3,
£30, and Lot 4, £70—total, £700. The
reserved prices were:—Lots 1 and 2, £700;
Lot 3, £30, and Lot 4, £20—total, £770.
It was stated that the amount of the
mortgage still due was £6,390. Richard
Maher, appellant, had offered to lodge £1,350
in Court for the four lots.
Mr. Dickie, K.C., and Mr. Murnane
(instructed by Messrs. Malley and Co.)
appeared for the appellants; and Mr. F. Fitz-
Gibbon, K.C. and Mr. Hughes (instructed by
Messrs. Crozier and Sons) for the respondents.
The arguments having concluded,
The Court made an order stating that the
appeal stood adjourned for 14 days; that, if
within that period cash in accordance with
the applicant's (Mr. R. Maher's) offer was
forthcoming, the premises, the subject matter
of the appeal, would be sold to him; and
that if the cash was not forthcoming the
appeal would be dismissed with costs.
DUBLIN CIRCUIT COURT (CRIMINAL).
ABSENT JURORS.
JUDGE AND DOCTORS' CERTIFICATES.
Circuit Court Judge Roche opened the sit-
tings of the Criminal Court for the City and
County of Dublin at the Courthouse, Green
street, yesterday.
The calling of the panel occupied a con-
siderable time, and in some cases fines of £3
were imposed on absent jurors.
In other cases defaulters sent in doctors'
certificates, but Judge Roche remarked that
some of these were not satisfactory. In one
case a certificate was handed in, stating that
the juror was "suffering from rheumatism."
It was signed, but the doctor did not give
his qualifications.
Judge Roche—You must get a proper cer-
tificate.
A man representing the juror asked: What
must the doctor say, my lord? (Laughter.)
Judge Roche—That is not a matter for me.
ARRESTED IN ENGLAND.
MAN ACQUITTED ON CHARGE OF FALSE PRETENCES.
James Robertson was charged with having
obtained by false pretences on the 11th April
last a typewriter, belonging to Messrs. Gil-
lespie and Gillespie.
In his evidence Mr. Gillespie said that the
accused man came to his place of business in
Hawkins street, and, stating that he was
organising secretary to Status, Ltd., Inquiry
Agency, presented his card and examined a
Underwood typewriter worth £12, and some
other goods, the value of the whole being
£15 16s. 5d. He arranged the conditions of
payment, and gave an address to which the
goods were to be sent. The goods were de-
livered, and an invoice was supplied. The
accused man had given a bill instead of cash.
The witness believed the statement that the
defendant was organising secretary of Status,
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that he gave him the goods. He did not
see Robertson again until he saw him in the
custody of the police after being brought
back from England.
Cross-examined by the prisoner—He was
not aware when he sold the typewriter that
he (the prisoner) had left the employment of
Messrs. Status, Ltd.
The defendant, giving evidence, denied
that he was guilty of false pretences in the
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lespie that he had severed his connection
with Status, Ltd., and that the typewriter
was for himself, and that he intended to
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Christopher Sullivan (17), who pleaded
guilty to stealing a sewing machine, was sent
to a Borstal institution for three years.
FOREIGN POSTAGE RATES.
INSUFFICIENT STAMPING.
The Free State Department of Posts and
Telegraphs is again compelled to draw the
attention of the public to the fact that a
large amount of correspondence for places
abroad continues to be posted insufficiently
prepaid, and, in view of the approaching
Christmas postings, it desires to direct special
notice to the matter. The correct postage on
letters for all foreign destinations is 5d. for
the first ounce and 1½d. for every additional
ounce (except to the United States, British
possessions, Egypt and Tangier, to which the
postage is 2d. for the first ounce and 1½d. for
every additional ounce).
On postcards the postage for all places
abroad is 1½d. (The 1d. rate applies only to
Ireland and Great Britain.)
It is most important that the public should
make sure that postage is fully prepaid in all
cases, as otherwise correspondence is liable to
delay in transmission and delivery, and the
addressee is charged with double the amount
of the deficiency.
BURNED DONEGAL RECORDS.
CLAIMS FOR WORK OF RECONSTRUCTION.
At a meeting of the Donegal County
Council yesterday the Finance Committee
reported that they had considered the appli-
cations by members of the staff for compensa-
tion for extra work incurred by the necessary
reconstruction of records destroyed in the
fire in the Council offices in February, 1925,
and they recommended the following pay-
ments:—James Heron, £100; W. H. Black,
£50; J. McLaughlin, £50; A. Heron, £20;
and William McDevitt, £20.
Mr. James Heron appeared before the
Council, and appealed to them for fair play,
as he believed that injustice had been done
to him by the recommendation that he should
get only £100. At a former meeting of the
Finance Committee it was recommended that
he should get £300.
It was decided to refer the matter to the
Local Government auditor, with a request
that he should go into it, and report to the
Council what sums should be allowed.
COSTLY LARNE EGGS.
At the instance of the Larne Urban Council,
a Larne grocer, Joseph Park, Dunlace street,
was fined 10s., with 10s. costs, at the Petty
Sessions yesterday, for exposing for sale seven
eggs which were unfit for human food.
Defendant and his assistant deposed that
the eggs had only been brought into the shop
by a farmer a few minutes before the inspector
called, and that the assistant was in the act
of examining and weighing the eggs when he
had to stop and serve a customer. The
inspector came in in the meantime.
SHANNON WORKER INJURED.
Timothy Hayes, Boherbury, Limerick, a
worker on the Shannon scheme, had his right
thigh fractured working at Parteen on
Monday evening. He was engaged in the
putting up of one of the large poles, which
fell on him. A companion named Smith had
a narrow escape.
DUBLIN DISTRICT COURT.
CRYSTAL GAZING.
FALSE PRETENCES AND ASSAULT.
(BEFORE MR. COLLINS.)
Clad in traditional Romany style, Maggie
Duffin (30), no home, but stated to belong to
Belfast, entered the dock charged with pre-
tending to tell fortunes to Mary O'Malley,
Working Girls' Hostel, Hanbury lane, Dublin,
obtaining from her a sum of 12s. 6d. by false
pretences, and assaulting her by striking her
on the eye and smashing a pair of spectacles
which she was wearing.
Mary O'Malley stated that she met the
defendant in South King street on Monday
morning. In reply to a question the defen-
dant told her that she was a gipsy. The
witness then asked to have her fortune told,
and the defendant took her to a hall-way and
said, "Put a half-crown on the centre of my
hand." The witness did so, and the defen-
dant then produced a crystal ball, placed it
over the coin and started to read the lines in
the witness's hand, telling her that she had
had trouble.
"She then put the half-crown in her
pocket, and told me if I wanted my fortune
completed I would have to produce paper
money," proceeded the witness. Eventually
the witness was persuaded to produce a 10s.
note, which she placed in the centre of the
defendant's hand. The defendant put a
crystal ball on top of the note—which was a
soiled one—breathed over the crystal three
times, and told the witness to do the same.
The witness did so, and the note became
clean. (Laughter.)
"You will meet a brown man, you'll fall
in love with one another, and you'll be very
happy together," said the defendant, after
which she made a movement round the
crystal with her hand, and the 10s. note dis-
appeared. (Laughter.)
"I could not see where the note went,"
said the witness, who added that she followed
the defendant and asked for her money,
whereupon the defendant hit her in the eye
and smashed her glasses.
Inspector Dunlevy stated that when taken
into custody the defendant gave him 7s. 10½d.
On being searched by a policewoman a large
crystal stopper and 3s. 3d. were found in
her possession. She made no reply to the
charges.
The defendant, in reply to Mr. P. H.
O'Brien, solicitor, stated that she was a
hawker and belonged to Belfast. She had a
lamp and, and sold lace, rugs and bamboo
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CRUELTY TO SHEEP.
OWNERS AND DROVERS HEAVILY FINED.
(BEFORE MR. CUSSEN.)
Several sheep-owners and their drovers were
heavily fined on charges brought forward by
the National Society for the Prevention of
Cruelty to Animals.
One case, which the Justice described as
very serious, was that in which James
Buckley, Moore street, was fined £2 9s. 6d.,
with 10s. 6d. costs, on a charge of allowing
the overcrowding of sheep in a cart, resulting
in one of the sheep being smothered. His
driver, James Cannavan, Moore street, was
fined £2 9s. 6d., with 10s. 6d. costs, and his
driver, Joseph James, Northumberland street,
was fined 10s.
Mrs. Margaret Kearney, Moore street, was
fined 20s., with 10s. 6d. costs, and her driver,
Christopher O'Connor, North Gloucester
street, was fined 10s., for allowing a lame
sheep to be driven along the street.
Inspector Burke proved the cases. Mr. P.
H. O'Brien appeared for Mrs. Kearney, and
Mr. A. B. Bradley prosecuted in all the cases
on behalf of the Society.
SECONDARY EDUCATION IN TYRONE.
PROTEST AGAINST CONVEYANCE OF PUPILS.
At a meeting of the Clogher Regional Com-
mittee yesterday—Major-General Montgomery,
C.B., C.M.G., presiding—the Northern
Ministry of Education forwarded a letter
which they had received from Mr. Adam J.
Beatty, secretary of the Tullyvar Ratepayers'
Association. The letter protested against the
rates being applied towards the payment of
motor lorries for the conveyance of pupils from
Aughnacloy and its neighbourhood to Dun-
gannon secondary schools, the parents of
these pupils being more than able at their
own expense to have their children educated
at secondary schools.
The letter further stated that the status and
income of these parents should be inquired
into. The parents of some of the children
taking advantage of the service had incomes
approaching £800 a year, and the parents of
three of the children resided in the Dungannon
district, and were not entitled to travel at the
Clogher Regional Committee's expense.
Mr. Malley, J.P., said that one child from
Dungannon district took advantage of the
service, and this meant a reduction off the
coat of the other children travelling. As a
matter of fact, Mr. Beatty had actually signed
Mr. Campbell Bawn as a surety in connection
with the motor contract for conveying these
children.
Chancellor Dagg suggested that this
signature be sent to the Ministry.
The Rev. Mr. Bailey said that it seemed as
if the farmers of that association were de-
termined to put down all secondary education
in the district and to find any little excuse for
doing so. It was simply astounding.
It was agreed to reply to the Ministry in
the terms of Mr. Malley's and Chancellor
Dagg's statements.
SHOP HOURS ACT.
In the report of a case under the Shop
Hours Act yesterday, it was stated that
Judge Davitt, in the Circuit Court, affirmed
the decision of the District Justice in fining
Mr. F. R. Perkins, Ringsend, £1 and costs
for a breach of the Shop Hours Act. The
Judge reserved his decision.
At Tyrone County Council meeting there
were fourteen applicants for the position of
Assistant Surveyor, and Mr. D. J. O'Hara,
Omagh, who was formerly in the employment
of the Council, was appointed unanimously.
RAPHOE MURDER CHARGE.
STREET ROW ON POLLING NIGHT.
EX-OFFICER RETURNED FOR TRIAL.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
STRABANE, Tuesday.
Before Mr. R. Sandes, District Justice, at
a Special Court here to-day, Michael
McGeehan, Guest House, End street, Raphoe,
a young man, who formerly held a commis-
sion in the Free State Army, was charged
with the wilful murder of John Curran, Irish
street, Raphoe, on the night of September
15th last.
Daniel McGoldrick, shopkeeper, stated that
the accused man entered his shop at 10 p.m.
and asked for a packet of cigarettes. He was
excited, and said he had fought in 1922 and
could fight again if he had to do it. He had
a revolver with him, and Jack McElhinney,
who came in after him, said: "Give me
that." They went out together. It was
polling day, and witness went out about three
minutes later with Patrick Clifford. He saw
John Curran and his brother, Samuel, come
down the street to where McGeehan stood in
a crowd of about a dozen at Thomas Logan's
shop. John Curran said to McElhinney:
"Here's your man now," and they gripped
each other. The crowd closed in upon them
and there was a general row. A shot
sounded from the crowd and they scattered.
Two more shots followed, but witness, who
was standing on the footpath, could not see
who fired them. He did not know until
afterwards that Curran had been hit, but on
his way home he saw McElhinney lying
wounded, and helped to carry him away.
McElhinney said he was shot in the ankle.
STREET SCRIMMAGE IN THE DARK.
To Mr. Magee—Witness's view of
McGeehan when in the shop was obstructed
by other persons, and he might have been
mistaken when he said he saw the accused
with a revolver.
Samuel Curran, McBride street, Raphoe,
described how he accompanied the deceased
man, who had called at his house, down the
street to the crowd, where witness asked who
wanted him. John McElhinney replied: "I
want you." McElhinney tried to strike
witness, and got into grips with his brother.
The accused man shouted: "Clear the
streets!" and witness, who was about three
feet away from him, saw him fire three shots
in quick succession from a revolver. While
firing McGeehan backed out into the centre
of the street towards the graveyard, and
witness heard two further shots, but could
not say who fired them. When the last
shot was fired his brother John, who was
"scrimmaging" with others, called out that
he was shot. Witness saw his brother John
running towards the Civic Guards barracks
and followed him, accompanied by his brother
James. They found Sergeant Hanley in the
barracks, shot through the stomach. His
brother died in Donegal County Hospital the
next evening.
James Curran, another brother of the
deceased man, stated that before the row
started he heard the accused man telling the
crowd that he fought with British soldiers
in Derry in 1914, and that he saw the same
soldiers in the Fianna Fail tally-rooms that
day. McElhinney said he did not care for
any British soldiers. Witness later saw the
accused man discharging a revolver.
REVOLVER FOUND IN GRAVEYARD.
Sergeant Brennan, Raphoe, said that he
sent for McGeehan immediately upon dis-
covering that Samuel Curran was wounded,
and cautioned him. McGeehan made no
statement. Witness searched him, but found
nothing incriminating on him. He afterwards
searched his house, and did not find anything
incriminating. Witness continued his investi-
gations throughout the night until 9.45 the
following morning, when he found the revolver
produced at the foot of a tree in the grave-
yard. It was a short Webley. There were
five discharged cartridges and one undis-
charged cartridge in it.
The witness read a deposition in which the
deceased man declared that it was Jack
McElhinney who shot him, and stated that
he saw a revolver in the hands of McElhinney
and McGeehan.
Mr. Magee said that there was no case
against his client, and asked the Justice to
refuse informations.
The accused man was committed for trial
in custody to the Central Criminal Court,
Dublin.
UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT.
PORTADOWN MAN FINED.
At Portadown Petty Sessions, Victor
Hamilton, Meadow lane, was prosecuted for
making a false representation with the object
of obtaining extended unemployment benefit.
Mr. R. M. Cullen said that his client got
the assistance of his mother in filling up the
form. He asked her what she received
weekly from each working member of the
family, and quite innocently he put that
down on the form.
The Court imposed a fine of 10s. and 8s.
costs.
Mr. Brogan, J.P., who dissented from the
decision, said that the Act said that the
penalty was three months' imprisonment, with
a fine of £25. There was nothing that would
extenuate defendant's conduct. He knew
quite well what he was doing, and it was an
admitted fraud.
STAMPING OF CARDS.
The Northern Ireland Ministry of Labour
instituted proceedings against five employers
for failure to comply with the requirements
of the Health and Pensions and Unemploy-
ment Insurance Acts for various employés.
There were eight summonses against Mr.
P. J. Sheil, J.P., Woodhouse street, for
failure to stamp the insurance cards of his
employés, and the amount of the arrears
claimed was £4 13s.
It appeared that Mr. Sheil had previously
paid by cheque £67 3s. 8d. for the insurance
of certain of his employés, and that failure
to stamp the cards in this instance was due
to a misunderstanding as to the period
covered by the cheque. An inspector of the
Ministry, finding that the cards had not been
stamped, took them with him. Emergency
cards were afterwards obtained, and stamped
by the defendant.
The Court imposed a fine of 1s. and costs
in each of the eight cases.
There were twenty-one summonses against
Mr. John Montgomery, High street, for a
like offence, the amount of arrears claimed
being £21 6s. 3d.
Mr. T. D. Gibson, M.A., who appeared
for the defence, raised the question of the
insurability of an employé named Fay, and
thirteen summonses were adjourned until that
matter had been decided by the Ministry.
The cards having since been stamped in
the remaining eight cases, the magistrates
imposed a fine of 2s. and costs.
In a case against Mr. Michael O'Neill,
William street, the amount of arrears claimed
was £2 6s. 6d.
There were two summonses, and in respect
of each the magistrates imposed a fine of
2s. 6d. and costs, and made an order for
payment of the arrears due.
TWELVE SUMMONSES.
Twelve summonses were served on Mr.
J. A. Wilson, Bridge street. In this case
the amount of arrears claimed was £19 14s.
Mr. T. D. Gibson, for the defendant, said
that his client usually settled with the
inspector by giving him a cheque for the
amount due, and the offence with which he
was now charged was due to a change in the
procedure on the part of the Ministry.
The Court made an order for payment of
the arrears and imposed a fine of 1s. and
costs in respect of each of the twelve
summonses.
Mr. Herbert Richardson was prosecuted for
failure to stamp the unemployment insurance
book of an employé, and for failing to return
the book stamped at the proper time. The
amount claimed was 11s. 3d.
The defence was that the employé had mis-
laid the book, and although Mr. Richardson
had repeatedly asked him for it he was
unable to produce it. At length he did pro-
duce it, and when the inspector called two
days afterwards the defendant told him he
would stamp it.
A fine of 1s. and costs was imposed in each
of the two summonses.
CHURCH SERVICES.
CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH.
First Church of Christ, Scientist, Dublin (a Branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.), 58 Molesworth street—Services—Sunday, 11.30 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Sunday School, 11.30 a.m. Wednesday (Testimony Meeting), 8 p.m. Christian Science Reading Room, same address, is open to the public daily from 11 a.m.
PRODUCE AND FOOD MARKETS.
CATTLE.
SALFORD.—On offer, beasts 1,563 (increase 142), sheep and lambs 9,350 (increase 1,518), milch cows 129 (decrease 6). Irish entries included 722 fat cattle (122 more), sheep and lambs 307 (increase 263), milch beasts 122 (increase 1). Increased numbers and duller weather conditions been militating against business, and in all sections prices were 4s. to 5s. per lb. lower. Choice well-finished beasts not plentiful, and quality of both sheep and lambs variable. Best English beasts quoted 52s. to 53s., best Irish 51s. Secondary grades 47s. to 49s., good fat young cows 6d. to 7d. small North country sheep 1s. stronger sorts 10s. to 11s., ewes 7d., best lambs 12s., others 11s. to 10s. per lb. Cows suitable for dairy purposes quieter at £18 to £23 per head.
LEEDS.—On offer 529 beasts. Choice heifers and bullocks 2d. to 3d. cows and bulls 6d. to 7d., secondary and Irish 8d. to 9d. sheep 2,051, at 10s. to 1/6, ewes 6d. to 7d. Slow trade all round.
CAMBRIDGE.—Beasts 221. Beef 8/6 to 10/6. Sheep 356: mutton shearlings to 8/-, hoggets to 9/4. Fat 1,137: pork 8/6 to 11/6. Calves 12s. Fat cattle average supply and business slower. Store cattle —A fair number offered, and trade rather better. For sheep a large show, and no alteration in demand. Pat pigs—Very large supplies, and values about as last week. Store pigs slightly easier.
GRAIN.
DUBLIN CORN.—Very meagre attendance of the trade here. Values little tested in the retail doings, and mostly appear to rule on a basis reckoned from country transactions, plus sack hire, freight, etc. Wheat, Irish, 34/- to 36/- per 480lbs.; white oats 15/3 to 14/6, beans 11/9 to 12/6 and 12/8. Barley—Malting 26/6 to 31/- nominally, but holders of choice samples would hardly accept under 32/-. Oats, Irish, 19/3 to 19/6 per barrel.
FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES.—BALTIC.—WHEAT cargoes steadily held; demand inactive and prices not quotably altered. White Pacific-Astoria 48/6, November sellers 48/9, December and January 48/6, No. 3 Northern Manitoba November 48/6, December 47/6, January 47/3. No. 4 Manitoba January 44/-, Rosafe 45/3s.; January-February new 49/3, January, Galatz, January-February 44/3, Australian afloat 51/- to 51/3, as to position, per 480lbs. Parcels quiet at late rates. Plate steamers afloat sellers 52/-, November 51/3, December 51/6, January 53/-. No. 2 yellow African afloat 52/-, October 53/6. Parcels dull at rates and prices 3d. per qr. lower per 480lbs. BARLEY dull, but late rates maintained. Parcels of No. 3 Canadian Western November 35/6, No. 4 ditto 34/6, Rosafe October-November 39/9, Iran-Khiva-Kow, October-November 36/-, Algerian-Tunisian October-November 35/3. No. 2 Yakutsk American, 1st/15th November 34/6, Persian afloat 34/6, October 34/6 per 400lbs. OATS quieter and lower to sell; Plate f.a.q., also October, 26/3; December, 24/9, new, January-February 25/7½, Chilian October-November 27/6, January-February 25/-, per 320lbs.
LIVERPOOL.—WHEAT—American markets finished better than expected and forward deliveries of wheat here showed a fair advance at the outset, but receded somewhat and fluctuated slightly, but with encouraging afternoon cables final rates were the best and marked a liberal advance on the day. C.i.f. parcels No. 2 dark spring arrived at 48/4½ per quarter. C.i.f. parcels manx River Plate afloat sold at 51/3. Nov.-Dec., 51/4½; Dec.-Jan., 51/10¾ per quarter. Wheat on the spot quiet, and easier than Tuesday. Futures—Spot parcels quiet at 6/11 to 6/11½ per cental for No. 2 River Plate. Futures quiet and officially reduced 6d.; straightrun 40/6 per 280 lbs., ex mill. Ground wheat flour opened 2d. per cental dearer, further improved, then receded, but again moved upwards, the market closing steady at 1d. to 1½d. over previous night.
PROVISIONS.
LIVERPOOL.—BACON—Irish and Continental remains quiet, and former reduced 2/- to 3/-, to 96/-per cwt., while American ruled somewhat irregular with bellies easier at 87/- to 94/-, but backs in fair demand and steady at 76/- to 80/-. HAMS quiet, but no noticeable change since in prices; shoulders steady for squares, and prices raised 6d. to 70/- per cwt. LARD on the spot 1/- lower; prime steam now 64/- to 65/-, and American refined 68/- to 70/- per cwt., with only a moderate business reported. CHEESE quiet, but not quotably altered. BUTTER slow of sale at 1/- to 2/- decline; Danish reduced to 190/- to 194/-, Irish creameries 168- to 173/-, New Zealand 176/- to 180/-, and Siberian 156/- to 160/- per cwt. EGGS scarce and firm at 21/- to 22/- per dozen for Irish fresh hen, and 18/- to 19/6 per 120 for duck.
MANCHESTER.—BUTTER—Danish and Swedish shipments for the week ended October 22nd, not including Gothenburg, totalled 24,664 casks, decrease 241 casks. Business continues on quiet side, but prices fairly steady on smaller arrivals. Choicest qualities quoted—Danish, 194- to 196-, special dairy, 188-; Swedish 182/- to 184/-, Finnish 182- to 194/-, Irish 183 19/3 to 20/-, and New Zealands n

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